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250 BATTLE ON TRAIN

People Clubbed, Beaten and Kicked by Company's Thugs, Thousands Thrown From Cars and Scores Arrested. Citizens Wreck Train.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—In a riot on the Brooklyn Rapid Transit railroad to-day at Kensington, on account of the assaults made on passengers who refused the payment of an excess fare to Coney Island, one man was badly injured and several others were placed under arrest.

Two hundred citizens, fifty policemen and several employes of the company took part in the fighting.

The row started when Siegfried Guggenheim, a real estate dealer, who was on his way to Brooklyn, refused to pay a second fare at Kensington. He was on a seven-train car crowded beyond its capacity. Inspector Lewis entered the car and told Guggenheim he would have to pay or be thrown off.

"I won't pay, and if you attempt to throw me off I'll blow your head off," said Guggenheim.

Passengers were cheering Guggenheim, when Police Captain David Evans, who heard his threat, ordered Lewis to arrest him and drag him off the car. When Lewis sailed into Guggenheim, a passenger named Noah Lazinski took a hand.

Arthur Ricker, the motorman, and an inspector named Gartdelly rushed to Lewis's assistance, and devoted themselves to Lazinski, who is a little chap. There was a general melee in the car, and the police finally broke through the crowd and joined in the rumpus.

POLICE USE CLUBS.

General fighting followed. Police Captain Evans received a kick in the stomach which stretched him out, and Lazinski was carried off to the hospital badly hurt. The police used their night sticks freely and many citizens were badly beaten. The police finally restored order.

General Superintendent Dow M. Smith, of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, had a narrow escape with his life early to-day. Smith had caused five cars on the Culver line, loaded with passengers who had refused to pay the second fare, to be sidetracked at Kensington. The cars had been there an hour when Smith learned that three women who had paid two fares were on one of the cars. In his automobile Smith ran down to the line of cars and took off the three women passengers. He sent a man with them to stop the train bound for New York and put them aboard.

The crowd learned that the man in the auto was Smith. Rocks and all sorts of missiles were hurled at the obnoxious official, and a rush was made for his auto by the furious passengers.

COMPANY IS OBSTINATE.

Forty policemen went to the rescue of Superintendent Smith and lining up around his auto drove back the crowd.

Smith finally got away in his auto.

The company is still persistent in its attempt to collect the second fare to Coney Island and assaults and brutality to passengers who refuse the payment continue. On one line the company shunted in separate "L" cars all who refused to pay the second fare and then ran these cars on to sidings at Kings Highway and at the Gravesend race track.

Nineteen cars filled with passengers were on the Gravesend siding this morning. The passengers enjoyed themselves wrecking the cars until there was nothing breakable left in them. Police were on guard to see that the passengers were not assaulted, but they did not interfere when the passengers took their revenge out of the car fixtures. For revenge on the police for protesting against the payment of the illegal fare, the Rapid Transit Company discontinued the running of all trolley cars to Coney Island during the night.

From last night until this morning not a trolley car was sent beyond Sixty-fifth street. Thousands of persons who would gladly have paid the 10-cent fare were thus compelled to walk long distances to their homes.

Situation at Coney Island

Tracks are blocked from Sixty-fifth street to the sea. Gangs of armed employes are terrorizing the neighborhood.

Over 1,000 deputies are to be sworn out by sheriff if situation demands it.

All surface traffic to Coney Island stopped by the company.

Dozens of passengers arrested and taken to police stations.

Forty inspectors arrested for assaults on passengers.

Rioting all along the Culver line, from Kings highway to Coney Island.

No protection given women and children by police, who seem to favor the company.

Police Inspector Cross charged with aiding the conductors to collect second fares.

Passengers, angered at being switched to Gravesend race track, stripped cars of cash registers, straps and everything moveable.

Rear end collision results in injury to a score of persons.

WRECK RESULT OF TROLLEY CHAOS

By Boston American Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—As a direct result of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company's stubborn fight to maintain the 10-cent fare to Coney Island, thirteen passengers were seriously hurt early to-day in the wreck of two surface cars which crashed into each other at "dead man's" curve, near Coney Island creek.

A Thirty-ninth street car was being driven at tremendous speed in order to make time lost in a delay caused by the attempt to take up the excess fare.

As it rounded the curve leading to the trestle over the creek, the Thirty-ninth street car dashed into a Third avenue car ahead.

Passengers in the Thirty-ninth street car were thrown from their seats to the ground and heaped up on one another. Men and women were hurled against the woodwork by the terrific force of the impact.

The passengers on the Third avenue car were badly shaken up, but the more serious injuries occurred among the people on the Thirty-ninth street car. They were all taken to the reception hospital at Coney Island.

A state of lawlessness exists on the Coney Island lines to-day.

Stalled trains block the tracks from Sixty-fifth street to the sea. Gangs of employes, armed with stout clubs and backed by the insolence of the company, are terrorizing the neighborhood.

The police station at Coney Island and surrounding points are filled with prisoners, and thousands of people, either thrown from cars because they refused to pay the illegal extra fare, or unable to ride at all by reason of the blockade of traffic, were compelled yesterday to trudge along the roads on their way to and from the beach.

THOUSANDS HAVE TO WALK.

Last night the Brooklyn Rapid Transit carried its defiance of the law to the final point of practically abandoning its train service below Sixty-fifth street.

Congestion and confusion resulted. Thousands of home-goers were compelled to walk beyond Sixty-fifth street. Rioting resulted. At Coney Island a big force of policemen were on hand and arrests were

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District Attorney Moran Ready to
RUSH ICE TRIALS

Only Waiting to Hear From Former Attorney General Parker to Fix Date.

District Attorney John B. Moran is to-day waiting to hear from former Attorney General Herbert Parker concerning when the defence in the "ice conspiracy" cases will be ready for trial.

Mr. Parker is counsel for the ice barons. The District Attorney's office is ready to proceed with the cases as soon as the regular docket is out of the way. The defence will be allowed, of course, the usual courtesy of time in which to prepare for trial. Mr. Parker, as its counsel, has been requested to inform the District Attorney's office if the cases will be ready for the present term of court. In case they are not, or in case the regular docket interferes, the "ice" trials and the "Chelsea graft" and "Fenway graft" cases will go over into the September sitting.

Hopkins Denies Conspiracy.

On account of the ice indictments the semi-annual meeting of the Massachusetts Ice Dealers' Association, scheduled for the latter part of September, may be called a month earlier. The indicted dealers, all being members of the association, may wish to bring the matter officially before that organization.

President Hopkins, of the Boston Ice Company, says:

"So far as I am concerned, the District Attorney has got to prove his allegations before I shall attempt to put up a defence for something I have not done.

"As to conspiracy, I can conceive of no such word in connection with the ice business."

A Fourth Indictment.

Chelsea politics is rife to-day with a persistent report that a fourth secret indictment was returned in connection with the "Chelsea graft" case. This fourth indictment, the story goes, is being held back still because the man against whom it was found is away from the city.

As the matter stands now, if this fourth indictment was returned, the defendant will probably not be haled into court until the Chelsea inquiry is completed. There are some eight or nine more witnesses to be examined out of those originally summonsed. At the resumption of the inquiry may result in more indictments, this reported fourth defendant would very easily fit in with the next batch.

THEATRE GIVES LAUNCH PRIZE

Manager Lawrence McCarty of the Boston Theatre makes an offer to the boys and girls of New England that is unprecedented even in these days of big enterprises.

He volunteers to give, free, an eighteen-foot speed launch, worth $1,000, to the boy or girl who writes the best essay on the lessons which the play teaches after seeing "Cape Cod Folks," which opens at the Boston Theatre August 27. The launch will be awarded at the matinee performance of September 15, and any boy or girl attending the play is eligible.

"Cape Cod Folks" is said to be of deep human interest, and the cast secured for it contains some of the best actors on the stage.

ASKS AMERICAN TO FIND SON

By Boston American Leased Wire

LAWRENCE, Aug. 15.—Almost distracted by the long absence of her son, Mrs. John J. Welsh of No. 165 West street, Lawrence, has appealed to the BOSTON AMERICAN to help find the missing boy.

Dressed in a black suit and blue cap, John Joseph Welsh, aged seventeen, left home July 29, for no apparent reason. He is large for his age, weighing 140 pounds, and is five feet seven and one half inches tall.

TIGERS SIGN PITCHER.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 15.—It was announced to-day that the Detroit American League baseball team has signed Pitcher Willets of the Wichita Western Association team. His signed contract was received to-day, and he may finish the season with Detroit.

JERSEY CITY SHAKEN BY POWDER EXPLOSION

FIREWORKS FACTORY BLOWN UP, BUT WORKMEN MARVELOUSLY ESCAPE.

By Boston American Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—With a roar that shook the residential section of Jersey City for blocks, the plant of the Gerhard Fireworks Company at Williams and West Side avenues exploded to-day, completely wrecking the building.

It was reported that sixty people were at work in the factory when the explosion occurred. Not a single person was either killed or hurt, so far as can be learned.

There were a number of the most remarkable escapes from death and injury within the memory of the Jersey City police.

The plant for the Gerhard company is a three-story structure, 100 by 50 feet.

With only the least warnig the powder stored on one of the upper floors let go. A blast of fire shot up through the roof and in a few minutes more the walls tottered and fell in.

The people in the building were all on the lower floors when the explosion occurred. The terrific concussion flung them all to the floor. Then panic reigned. Men ran hither and thither like maniacs, but finally followed the lead of one man to the outside stairway on the building, and all made their escape just before the structure collapsed.

NEW FLOATING HOSPITAL HAS INITIAL TRIP

After 20 Years' Service for Sick Babes, Barge Clifford Out of Commission.

After twenty years of constant service in the cause of Boston's poor sick infants, the old barge Clifford went out of commission last night, and to-day the new floating hospital made her initial trip.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bond of Commonwealth avenue falls the honor of donating the first day of the new boat, which is known as the Priscilla Bond day. Mr. and Mrs. Bond were at the dock to see the boat off, but did not make the trip.

The boat is in charge of Captain F. C. Cates and Manager G. Loring Briggs. Mr. Briggs is highly pleased with the perfect organization of the nurses and doctors which was shown by the transferring of fifty-six patients, last night, from the old boat to the new one without the slightest ill-effect to the most seriously sick.

Has Already Cost $60,000.

Already the new boat has cost about $60,000. Her engines have not yet been installed, and will not until more money is forthcoming.

The dining roo mand kitchen are under the supervision of Steward W. M. McIver and eighteen assistants. In the dining room, which is on the lower deck, 135 people can be seated and fed without the least confusion.

The new boat has four decks. The hospital deck contains six wards and the operating room, sterilizing room, four wards for the most critical cases, one for convalescents, examination and treatment room and one open-air ward.

Model Food Laboratory.

The lower deck is fitted with shower baths, the latest improved cooler where the milk is kept, large ice chests and all the latest appliances for the comfort and health of the little patients.

On the trip to-day there are about 100 permanent patients and about 125 transients. Each mother is allowed to bring, besides her sick infant, one child up to the age of six years, who could not be left at home.

The new boat is 171 feet long and 44 44 feet beam. The hull is of steel and the superstructure of wood. The hull is provided with seven watertight compartments, and the boat is fully equipped with fire apparatus.

A model food laboratory for the preparation of food for patients gives the doctors and nurses opportunity to study and practise.

STATE SOLD CONDEMNED BEEF TO SWIFT

Startling Charges Involving Vermont Official Made by Cattle Raisers.

RUTLAND, Vt., Aug. 15.—Startling charges about the disposal of beef from condemned cattle sold to Swift's rendering plant at Burlington by the State Cattle Commission have been made in affidavits by Frank T. Hutchinson of Worcester, Vermont; Frank P. Whitney of Middlesex and Perley E. Pope of Montpelier.

Mr. Hutchinson in his affidavit, states that forty-two cows of his herd, condemned after being tested for tuberculosis, were sold to the Swift Rendering Company, disposed of as beef and sent to the cooling room.

An employe of the company stated that the meat would be inspected later and that which was not affected by the disease would be sold as food.

In his deposition Mr. Pope states that all this was done with the full knowledge of State officials.

Mr. Hutchinson's affidavit, which was sworn to before John H. Senter, of Montpelier, follows:

"In November, 1903, my herd of cows were tested by the cattle commission of the State for tuberculosis, and forty-two were pronounced infected with that disease and ordered killed. They were appraised and I was paid 80 per cent. of the appraised value, in accordance with the law. The forty-two cattle were driven to Burlington to Swift's rendering plant under the authority of the cattle commission, and I, in company with Frank P. Whitney saw the cattle slaughtered.

"All the cattle were dressed off as beef is dressed, the various parts, liver, tripe, etc., being saved. The cattle, after being dressed, were put on the track and run toward the cooling room.

"We asked the head butcher waht was to be done with them, and he said that the inspector would be there and stamp those that were all right.

"We als visited the cooler and found three quarters of beef therein and had a talk with the man in charge. There were two forequarters of beef, and these had chuncks cut out of theme at the shoulder. He said it was the worst case he had ever had there. One hindquarter was marked 'Paul Germin, Burlington.'"

WAITRESSES STRIKE; GUESTS GO HUNGRY

CONNORSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 15.—While the dining room at the McFarland Hotel was crowded with guests at the dinner hour yesterday all the waitresses went on strike, and for more than an hour the guests waited. Finding that the girls would not listen to anything short of the discharge of a chambermaid, to whom they objected, the proprietor complied and they returned to work.

TROOPS CHEER THE CZAR WITH BABE IN ARMS

Russian Ruler Holds Up Heir to Throne As He Views Soldiers.

ST PETERSBURG, Aug. 15.—During the review of the troops at Krasnoye-Selo yesterday by Czar Nicholas the Czar held the baby heir to the Russian throne in his arms which brought forth cheers from the soldiers.

The review was designed for the purpose of strengthening the loyalty of the soldiers which have remained faithful to the crown despite the mutinies which have occurred in various places, through showing the Czar's confidence in the troops.

Forty-eight battalions of infantry, 12 batteries of Maxim guns, 33 squadrons of cavalry and the artillerymen in charge of 174 guns were review by the Czar. Cheers greeted the Emperor from all the soldiers at this his first appearance before any body of troops since the troubles in Russia began.

Among the Czar's advisers the belief is entertained that the purpose of the display was accomplished, and that the ruler can now count on the men in any emergency.

Emperor Nicholas wore the uniform of a hussar. He then rode about the troops which received him with manifestations of enthusiasm. Empress Alexandra Alix and Queen [illegible] of Greece also drove about the soldiers as they were drawn up for inspection.

During the review Grand Duke Nicholas headed the foot soldiers, Grand Duke Serge led the [illegible] and Grand Duke Michael the dragoons. The Emperor was accompanied by the Grand Duke Vladimir. He appeared to be greatly pleased and smiled as the soldiers passe dhim.

GIRL, DYING, NAMED DOCTOR

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 15.—An autopsy performed on the body of Agnes Harrison, a pretty young woman of Edgewood, revealed that death resulted from an illegal operation. In an ante-mortem statement to Dr. Robert C. Hall the girl named a prominent physician of this city. Dr. Hall informed Medical Examiner A. H. Longfellow, who, after the disclosures of the autopsy, placed the matter in the hands of the coroner for action.

GIRLS IN WHITE ARE PALLBEARERS

HARTFORD, Ct., Aug. 15.—Eight pretty young women, in white gowns, served as pallbearers at the funeral of Michael Wyler yesterday, breaking all precedent in the matter of funeral ceremonies. The undertaker at first refused to permit them to serve.

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-day and Thursday. Light, variable winds, mostly westerly.

High tide—7:37 a. m.; 7:58 p. m.

Sun rises—4:50; sets 6:48.

Moon rises—12:40.

MAN HELD AS ASSAILANT OF LITTLE GIRL WHOSE CONDITION IS CRITICAL

SICKLY CHILD THUG'S VICTIM IN CEMETERY

Cruelly Beaten as She Was Picking Berries for Home at Malden.

MOB JEERS PRISONER

Edna M. Boxx, the eleven-year-old Malden girl, who was attacked yesterday morning while picking blackberries in Holy Cross Cemetery, is in a critical condition at her home, No. 44 Claremont avenue.

Edward E. Gitchel, aged twenty-three, of Columbia avenue, Maplewood, who was arrested on suspicion last night, was identified by the girl to-day as her assailant. He was found hiding in a clump of bushes, and put up a fight when Inspector George E. Greenleaf and Patrolmen Burke and Ferguson with drawn clubs pounced upon him. He was taken to the Malden police station, followed by a jeering crowd, and was locked up. Early to-day Chief of Police Simon E. Harris took the prisoner to the Boxx house for identification by the girl.

Identifies Man and Faints.

"That is the man," declared the girl as Gitchel, handcuffed to Chief Harris, stood at the front door. As she finished the brief statement she fell in a faint in her mother's arms. It was some time before she was revived.

Dr. H. S. Johnson, who was called to see the girl yesterday, was in attendance to-day. He said that the girl's nervous condition was such that it would not be safe for her to be taken to court to appear against Gitchel.

Gitchel pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Judge Sweetser. He was held under $1,000 bail, but could not secure a bondsman and was taken to the Cambridge jail.

Gitchell did not seem to realize the seriousness of the charge against him. He pleaded not guilty to the charge in an indifferent sort of a way and spent his time looking around the court room.

Had Been Out of Work.

When seen in his cell at the Malden police station, Gitchel said that he was married and had two children, the youngest a babe, five weeks old. He said that he was an automobile repairer by occupation, but had been out of a job for five or six weeks.

"I left my home at eight o'clock yesterday morning to go for a walk," said Gitchel. "I went from Malden to Linden and from there to Revere Beach. I took a swim at the beach and then walked to Boston, which I reached about 10 o'clock. I went to the shops of the Pope Automobile Company in Columbus avenue and stayed there until about 5 o'clock, hoping that I would get work. After I left Boston I walked to Revere again, took another swim and was walking cross lots to my home when I was arrested."

While the officers were waiting at the patrol box for the wagon, Gitchel fainted. He was still unconscious when placed in the wagon, but revived before reaching the station house.

Received Ugly Blows.

It was shortly before 11 o'clock yesterday morning when the girl left her home to go after blackberries. The child had been to the cemetery many times and knew the ground well, as it is about one hundred yards from her home. Little Edna had been picking berries but a few minutes when she saw a tall, burly-looking man approaching her.

"I know where there are nicer berries, little girl," said the man, approaching the child. He led her to a clump of alders near the railroad tracks, but in a more lonesome part of the burying ground. There the man attacked her.

It was fifteen minutes before the child was able to get to her home and in a disconnected way tell her mother of her experience. Then the child fainted. Her mother sent for the family physician. The police were also notified. A posse of citizens joined in the hunt for the child's assailant.

"I asked Edna to pick some berries for me," said Mrs. Boxx, when seen at her home to-day. "She told me that when she saw the man, whom she identified, she paid no attention to him. He went close to her, whispered something in her ear and then she started to run away. She says that he punched her on the head and tried to talk with her. Then he grabbed her by the throat, and his finger marks could be easily seen when she reached home. From what she told me she must have been unconscious about fifteen minutes.

"Edna has always been a sickly girl and has been seriously ill several times."

"HELLO" GIRL AND YOUNG MAN GO TO JAIL

Miss May J. McCormack, the former "Helo" girl of Milton telephone exchange, and George F. Forsythe of No. 1213 Adams street, Dorchester, who were arrested in New York for the Milton police, waived examination in Quincy District Court to-day and were held in $500 bonds for the Norfolk Grand Jury on charges of larceny of over $100 worth of money and goods from Miss McCormack's mother. As neither furnished bail they were taken to Dedham jail.

During the hearing the girl, strikingly pretty, in a black suit, black hat and with a string of beads resembling pearls about her neck, sat snuggled close to Forsythe and kept her left arm about his neck. She was as cool and collected as could be, and Forsythe seemed equally calm.

The couple left here recently. Mrs. Charles McCormack of Milton, the girl's mother, complained to the police and they were traced to New York and arrested.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McCormack were in court and furnished $50 bail as surety for their appearance as witnesses at the trial in case the couple is indicted. Mrs. McCormack talked with her daughter a while. The mother seemed sorry she had brought the charge against her daughter, sobbing at intervals, while the girl was apparently unmoved.

Mrs. Helen Forsythe, the young man's mother, had a talk with Mrs. McCormack and was heard to say: "Well, if I had a daughter I'd never bring a charge like this against her."

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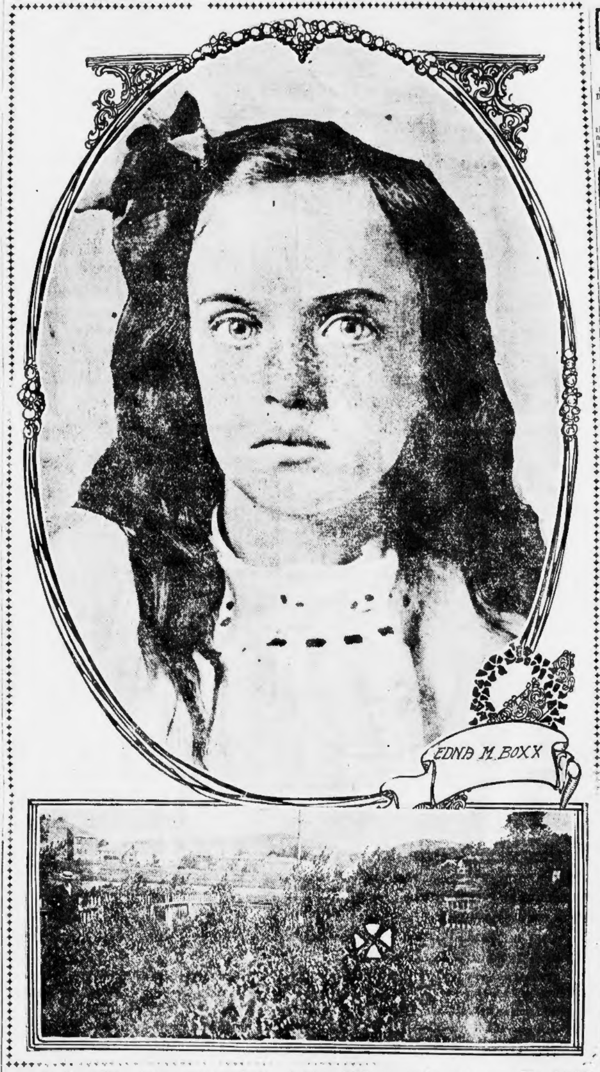

MALDEN GIRL AND CEMETERY WHERE SHE WAS BRUTALLY ATTACKED

BATTLE ON TRAIN IN TROLLEY WAR

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made every few minutes. Passengers, conductors, motormen and inspectors were dragged away by the police indiscriminately. Fighting occurred at half a dozen different points at once.

PASSENGERS CLUBBED.

The special policemen of the B. R. T., still wearing the blue uniforms interdicted by Acting Commissioner of Police Waldo, were in the thick of the rioting, wielding their clubs, dragging passengers from the cars, punching, kicking and mauling them.

Coney Island, whose average crowd at night is ninety thousand, had less than thirty thousand. The threat was openly made by B. R. T. officials that the fight would be carried out to the bitter end, and unless the people submit within the next few hours to the exaction of the illegal fare, that the Coney Island service of the company would be cut off entirely.

The police department shaped its course along these lines. B. R. T. officials were permitted to eject passengers at will. A score of victims were carried off to the hospitals.

In consequence, the B. R. T. agents acted as they pleased. In practically every instance the railway company was given the advantage over the citizen. Conflicts between the police and citizens were frequent. This trouble was augmented by a clash between the police and the deputy sheriffs whom Sheriff Flaherty, of Brooklyn, called into service to protect the people from violence. The police refused to recognize the right of the deputies to act.

INSPECTOR FOUGHT DEPUTY.

In one instance Inspector Cross, in charge of the police at Kensington, struck and knocked down a deputy who refused to leave the scene.

As the situation stands there is absolute chaos on all sides, with a score of plans discussed for bringing the outlawed traction company to terms and no steps being taken to carry them into execution. The most practical plan, that adopted by the American in the case of William J. Foley, one of the victims of Sunday's outrage, who has demanded that Attorney-General Mayer begin proceedings to force the B. R. T. to comply with the law, is held up because the Attorney-General is taking his ease in the Adirondacks while the offending company rides roughshod over the people of New York.

Sheriff Flaherty, of Kings County, decided to set his deputies at work to protect citizens. In the meantime, Deputy Police Commissioner O'Keefe issued an order which abolished the "bull pens" at Coney Island, in which the B. R. T. was accustomed to herd the passengers who declined to pay the second fare for the trip down to the island.

STUNNED A PASSENGER.

There was an open clash between Inspector Cross and Deputy Commissioner O'Keefe at King's Highway over the alleged eagerness of the Inspector to assist employes of the company to eject Arthur Rice of Gravesend from a car on the Culver route. Rice, asked by a guard for a second fare, declared his purpose to go to Coney Island without complying with the order, and, putting his arms about the stanchion between the two open windows, he prepared to resist ejectment.

Mr. O'Keefe was standing outside watching the proceedings, when Inspector Cross, jumping into the car, called out to Rice: "Quit that. Let go of that window and get out of here."

With that the Inspector made a move as if to grab Rice, but by this time the railroad man had torn him loose with such force that his head struck a seat and he was stunned.

Mr. O'Keefe, who had heard Cross's words and noted his action, sprang to the window and shouted: "Inspector, let that man alone and arrest the conductor."

Cross flushed, but made no further attempt to interfere, and the railroad man, as if to end what had become an embarrassing situation for the Inspector, let Rice alone.

WRECKED A TRAIN.

In a three-car motor train on the way back from Coney Island at 8:30 o'clock, inspectors descending upon it ordered that every man pay the extra fare. The passengers refused to pay it, and after looking the crowd over the inspectors gave orders to have the trains sent to Gravesend race track switch. When they learned what was being done, the passengers attacked the motorman and conductors.

Arrived at the race track, they stripped the cars of straps and registers, smashed the windows and broke the frames, ripped out many seats and did everything but tear the bodies of the cars from the trucks. They expressed determination to remain in the cars all night for purposes of litigation. One hundred policemen were sent to the track to guard the property, but they stood idly by while the work of destruction went on. There were approximately 600 persons on the train, and not more than a dozen of them were women.

HETTY GREEN'S SON HONORED

HOUSTON, Texas, Aug. 15.—The faction of the Republican Party of Texas known as the "Reorganized Party," held its State Convention here yesterday. E. H. R. Green of Terrell, president of the Texas Midland Railroad and the son of Mrs. Hetty Green of New York, was nominated for Governor. J. C. Gibbons, formerly Mayor of Paris, Texas, was named for Lieutenant Governor.

NOTED MAINE MAN DIED HERE

The body of Charles R. Milliken of Portland, Me., the hotel man and paper manufacturer, who died in a private hospital here yesterday, was sent to Portland today. Mr. Milliken was seventy-three years old. He began work as a clerk in Portland and rose in the hotel business to be owner of the famous Glen House in the White Mountains, which was burned in 1893. Then he became president and general manager of the Poland Paper Company and treasurer of the Portland Rolling Mills Company.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Post Office Clerk's Story.

Mr. Fred B. Eveleth, Jr., general delivery clerk in the Lewiston, Me., post office says: "For over twelve years I was unable to obtain a life insurance policy, but I have successfully passed two medical examinations for policies, since Father John's Medicine cured me of a catarrhal trouble of twelve years' standing and restored me to health and strength, after I was thought to be in consumption as the result of an attack of grip a year ago which left me in a badly weakened condition. I have increased thirty pounds in weight.

IMPORTANT NEWS

Revised Hourly for Busy Readers.

FOREIGN.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN DISCUSS FISH.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 15.—The negotiations between the Russian and Japanese delegates on the proposed Russo-Japanese fisheries convention have begun here.

RUSISA INCREASES GUARDS ABOUT MINES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 15.—In order to better control the situation in Uzovka and the Donetz basin, where the mining interests are very valuable, the governorship-general has been strengthened by a special advisory commission of mining representatives.

FOREIGN.

FRANCIS TAKES MEDAL TO KAISER.

BERLIN, Aug. 15.—David R. Francis, president of the St. Louis Exposition, has arrived here, to present to Emperor William the medal and diploma of the exhibition.

POOR RUSSIANS BARRED BY PRUSSIA

THORN, Prussia, Aug. 15.—A new edict is being enforced here to hamper Russia. Russian emigrants entering Prussia must have a passport and a sum of money, for adults $100, and for minors $75.

GENERAL.

CHICAGO LEADS IN DIVORCE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Forty thousand divorces in twenty years, an average of 2,000 a year, are the figures for Chicago, according to O. M. Pond, in charge of the divorce census. In the number of clerks required for this task Chicago leads the country with twenty-two, New York being second with twenty.

ST. LOUIS COMPANY WINS.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 15.—The dispute over ore extracted from a certain vein, which has been carried on for fourteen years by the St. Louis Mining Company against the Montana Milling and Mining Company, has been decided in favor of the former. The present cost of the suit, which the Montana Company must now pay, is $225,000.

BOSTON WATER PURE.

Recent tests of the quality of Boston water supply indicate that there is little contamination. Less than 200 bacteria were found in a cubic centimeter of water after standing forty-eight hours.

C. W. MORSE RETURNS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Charles W. Morse, formerly president of the American Ice Company, has arrived from Europe. It was thought the ice investigation brought him home. He declares, however, that his return has nothing to do with ice.

POLITICAL.

NAME HETTY GREEN'S SON.

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 15.—The faction of the Republican party of Texas known as the "reorganized party" has nominated E. H. R. Green, president of the Texas Midland railroad, and son of Mrs. Hetty Green, for governor.

DEMAND ROOSEVELT FOR 1908.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 15.—The Republican congressional convention of the Tenth District has unanimously nominated Harry B. Anderson for Congress. It went on record with a "demand" upon Roosevelt to become the Republican candidate for President in 1908.

BALLOTS STAY UNDER SEAL.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Justice McLean has denied the application of the corporation counsel for an order to reopen ballot boxes used in the last municipal election, which were sealed pending the result of the contest brought by William R. Hearst for the mayoralty.

INDUSTRIAL.

FREIGHT TUNNELS OPENED.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Forty-five miles of tunnels, constructed by the Illinois Tunnel Company for the transportation of freight, at a cost of $30,000,000, are now completed. Five years have been spent in digging.

DEATHS.

BANKER AND REPORTER.

WASHINGTON, Conn., Aug. 15.—One of the first official congressional debate reporters, Francis H. Smith, died here yesterday, at the aged of seventy-seven. He reported a number of famous trials, among them the court-martial of the Lincoln conspirators. He left the Capital in 1875. Since then he had been a banker here.

PROMINENT MANUFACTURER.

PORTLAND, Aug. 15.—Charles R. Milliken, age seventy-three, one of the most prominent manufacturers of Maine, is dead. He organized the Portland Paper Company and the Portland Rolling Mill Company.

ARMY AND NAVY.

NEW GOVERNMENT CRUISER.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 15.—The protected cruiser St. Louis, built at the yards of the Neafie & Levy shipbuilding company in this city, has been transferred to the government.

MAINE RESERVES TO CRUISE.

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 15.—The local naval reserves will go on a seven days' cruise on the Columbia, starting Saturday, September 1. Special orders to this effect have been issued from the office of the adjutant general.

PROMINENT PERSONS.

MAKE DEWEY PRESIDENT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Admiral George Dewey was to-day elected governor-general of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Robert B. Roosevelt.

NEW RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Baron Kruopensky, the recently appointed councillor of the Russian embassy at Washington, has arrived. The position to which the Baron has been appointed is a new one. It ranks next to that of ambassador.

ENGLISH GENERAL RETIRES.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Major-General Sir Reginald Pole-Carew has been retired with the honorary rank of lieutenant-general. For three years he has been in command of the Eighth Division of the Third Army Corps. He distinguished himself in East Indian and African campaigns.

ASSUMPTION IS CELEBRATED TO-DAY

The Feast of the Assumption was observed in the Catholic churches throughout Boston to-day with masses and special exercises. At the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Father John Crane officiated at the high mass at 9 o'clock. This evening there will be vesper services in all Catholic churches.

LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

At a meeting which lasted after midnight, Painters' Union No. 11 discussed the proposition of affiliating with the Building Trades section of the Central Labor Union. It was decided to take final action at next Tuesday night's meeting. Hugh Sweeney of Paperhangers' Union and Delegate A. M. Huddell of Hoisting and Portable Engineers' Union were the speakers.

VACATIONS FOR LINEMEN.

Enthusiasm prevailed at last night's meeting of Electrical Workers' Union No. 104 (linemen) when it was announced that the vacations for linemen had been granted after a conference between Mayor Fitzgerald, Fire Commissioner Wells and the committee of the Central Labor Union, composed of Patrick Maloney, J. Frank O'Hare, D. D. Driscoll and Martin T. Joyce.

WARD 19 ORGANIZES.

The Wage Earners' Club of Ward 19 has organized with Edmund F. Ward of the Brewery Workers' Union as temporary president and M. T. Atheridge acting secretary. The club, which has a membership already of fifty-six, has headquarters at No. 1,109 Columbus avenue, and will meet there next Monday night to permanently organize and admit about 250 more men.

LABOR NOTES.

Walter Ames of Kansas City, international vice-president of the Machinists' Association, has been assigned as organizer for the section West of Chicago, and will leave for his home the day after Labor Day. He has been New England organizer for the past three years.

Firemen's Union No. 242 has appointed a committee to act with a committee of the Central Labor Union to call upon Superintendent Doyle of the Street Department and to have the union scale and conditions promised for firemen on the ferries to go into effect at once.

H. Solitsky was elected vice-president and M. Greenwood secretary of the Clothing Pressmen's Union last night.

Ward 18 Wage Earners' Club meets to-night in Williams Hall, No. 5 Hampden street.

AMBASSADOR MEYER ILL.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 15.—Ambassador Meyer has left St. Petersburg for Kissingen to take the cure. He expects to be gone a month.

AFTER SUPPER SALE

BACON'S
UP-TOWN DEPARTMENT STORE

Thursday Evening, August 16th
From 7 to 9 O'Clock

A money saving opportunity—a quantity of odds and ends of clean dependable merchandise makes these prices possible. Every article guaranteed as represented or money cheerfully refunded

Ladies' Waists
Peter Pan and fine lawn, buttons in front. Regular value 50c. After Supper Sale.. 29c

Men's Shirts
A small lot of madras Negligees, separate cuffs. Never sold less than 75c and $1.00. After Supper Sale.................. 29c

Children's Lace Shoes
Warranted solid leather. Regular $1.00 value. Sizes 6 to 11. After Supper Sale....... 69c

Wash Suitings
A lot of short lengths in very desirable weaves. Worth from 12½c to 37½c a yard. After Supper Sale.................... 5c

Dress Ginghams
A case of all colors and styles, in checks, stripes and plaids, fine quality goods. Worth 10c and 12½c a yard. After Supper Sale 5½c

Dress Goods
25 pieces of dress goods and some short lengths of Melrose Suitings, Voiles, Henriettas and Nuns Veilings, all worth 50c and $1.00 a yard. After Supper Sale. 19c

Wash Pants
25c and 50c kind....
Straw Hats
75c and $1 values....
Boys' Blouses
Regular 25c grade, ea
After Supper Sale 10c

Boys' Wash Suits
Sailor and Russian cut, finely made, positively worth 50c and 75c. After Supper Sale.. 25c

Long Cloth
"Old Glory Brand," extra fine quality, yard wide, comes in 5 to 10 yard lengths, none of these pieces will be cut. Always sold at 15c yard. After Supper Sale.. 9c

Crash
Warranted All Linen, 15 inches wide, half bleached, fine for kitchen or dish towels. Never sold less than 8c yard. After Supper Sale 6c

Pillow Cases
42 inches wide, very fine quality, extra well made, hemstitched with 3-inch hem. Always sold at 15c each. After Supper Sale 9½c
Only 6 to a Customer.

Children's Underskirts
Daintily trimmed with lace and insertion, extra quality and finely made, all sizes. Worth 50c. After Supper Sale....... 29c

25c Bargain Table
A cleaning up of odds and ends, with no thought as to cost. The lot comprises Salad Bowls, Berry Bowls, Plaques, Cracker Jars, Sugar and Cream Sets, Jugs, Ramikins, Cake Plates, Comb and Brush Trays, etc. They are really worth from 50c to 75c each. After Supper Sale....... 25c

Stone Butter Jars
5-lb, first quality Jars, especially fine for warm weather, as they keep butter fresh and sweet and free from the taste that wood imparts. Former price 19c. After Supper Sale................ 10c

Long White Petticoats
Made from fine quality cambric, full width, deep ruffle trimmed with 3-inch torchon lace. The real 69c value. After Supper Sale 39c

No mail, telephone or C. O. D. orders will be filled on these goods.

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AMERICAN'S GUESTS THRONG WONDERLAND

New Attractions Every Week Given at Popular Summer Resort.

SURPRISES FOR VISITORS

Wonderland, the gleaming, glittering, glistening estate of amusement and gayety, in all its enchanting and subtle splendor pleased thousands yesterday. It was a day of happiness and frivolity for all who visited the City of Wonders by the sea and the vast army of readers of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN who came as guests saw the sights, heard the music and felt the thrills of the legion of spectacular arrays until they could only express approval by saying: "This is a Wonderland, indeed."

Each week the management of Wonderland plans and carries out a surprise for its guests. New methods and new enterprises are constantly being brought forward and yesterday was no exception to the rule. Within the gates of the park were scores of extraordinary attractions.

Entertainment Everywhere.

Along the board walks around the lagoon where sweet music was dispensed by the Salem Cadet Band on all sides there was entertainment for persons of every temperament. From the south the soft breath of the Orient was felt. Ships of the desert, burdened with humanity—youths and maidens—strange in this land, yet made to seem as if in Sahara by their steeds, silently wended their ways among the crowd. Then, from another side came the voices of darkies singing the old-time melodies, telling the ever interesting story of the South and the romance of the old days.

Clowns roamed about among the throngs moving all to laughter by their mimicry and their ridiculous garbs. Sweet-voiced singers added their music, while rough and ready cowboys, swarthy Indians and silent squaws, laden with their papooses, brought forcibly to the minds of all the land of the West.

All visitors to Wonderland are provided with an opportunity of seeing James E. Hard, known all over the world as "The American Blondin," whose exhibition on a wire stretched eighty feet above the ground thrills until those who witness can only express wonder and amazement.

A Hazardous Life.

Americans will remember Mons. Blondin on account of the feats he performed on his famous trip over the Niagara Gorge on a ship's hawser. This old hero of the tight rope, who challenged death hundreds of times, lived to the ripe old age of eighty-seven years and died a natural death. Hardy, a man who naturally is given more to listening than to talking, has superseded the ideas of Blondin and, following somewhat in example but in a much more hazardous way, has astounded the people the length and breadth of the land.

Hardy, at the time not more than a boy who had achieved fame by performing wondrous feats on tight and slack wires some years ago, made the perilous trip on a small steel wire over the roaring rapids of Niagara. He had made up his mind to duplicate all the performances of the wonderful Frenchman, Blondin, and to try some certain ideas of his own.

Blondin had used a rope of large size which was very securely held in taut position by guy wires and sand bags. Hardy used an inch steel cable.

Over Niagara Rapids.

Then, while above the rapids, blindfolded and with a bag tied about his head he walked on the wire above the deathly cataract. He ran across on the wire in two minutes, thirty-one and one-fifth seconds and crossed again in the night during a rain storm and when the wind was blowing lively.

Following this performance Hardy walked on a cable over Montmorency Falls. On this trip his path was seventy-six feet high and directly over the brink of the falls. Owing to the character of the bank, which prevented absolute guying of the wire, it sagged twelve feet, yet he accomplished the task successfully. Later he repeated this performance over the Genesee Gorge.

At Wonderland Hardy performs on a cable 100 yards long. He walks, runs and rides a bicycle on the wire, dresses and undresses and even skips with ease along the slender footing. He performs novel trapeze acts, crosses the wire in a sack and blindfolded, amuses all with ludicrous antics, proves himself a wonder, but never frightens one of the spectators.

All visitors to Wonderland have the free opportunity of seeing this act and the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN'S guests yesterday demonstrated in no uncertain way their pleasure and appreciation.

He Never Gets Nervous.

When asked regarding his perilous adventures after his performance Hardy replied innocently:

"Why, it is all the result of study and patience. I never allow myself to become worried. When I walk on the wire I feel as comfortable as when I walk on Mother Earth.

"Tight rope work seems to come to me as entirely natural and I never worry about it. I did not feel alarmed in the least when I crossed Niagara or Montmorency, and I feel very safe when I try to entertain at Wonderland."

Mlle. Loubet of Paris, in her thrilling auto dive, is one of the most interesting attractions at Wonderland. This thrilling act, which is free to all visitors to Wonderland, startled all who witnessed it yesterday. The young woman's daring and her coolness are cause for marvel.

The guests of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN at "Wild Bill" Kennedy's Wild West Show were treated to a very interesting and instructive entertainment. Life of the plains was forcibly presented, and the riding of Miss Annie Shaffer, "Queen of the Cowgirls," was received with much enthusiasm and hearty applause.

As has been the custom in the past, the management at Wonderland is preparing new attractions daily. Now all interest is centred in a baby show which will be held on August 28, when $3,000 in prizes will be awarded.

Prizes for Pretty Babies.

The award will be made to the prettiest girl baby and the prettiest boy baby. There will be special prizes for twins and triplets and for the healthiest and best formed babies.

Already it has been assured that there will be a large number of entries from many parts of Massachusetts. It is planned to make this the banner attraction of the season.

Parents of children of the ages of six months to two years will be eligible to enter their offsprings. Gold medals, a grand piano valued at $500, a diamond ring, solid gold watch and chain, chamber set, suits of linen underwear, Morris chair, easy chair, sewing machine, manicure set, writing desk and prizes of cash of a substantial amount will be given.

Just how long the baby show will be held has not been determined, but it has been decided to unite all efforts to make this feature most attractive and popular for the patrons of Wonderland.

Indications at the present time point to success from all sides. Many parents have co-operated with the promoters and many mothers have announced their willingness to show their prides to the public in order to share in the generous prizes that are offered.

IN NEW YORK—LURED MEN AS A RICH WIDOW.

In New York Mrs. Bina F. Verrault-Mason is alleged to have conducted a "matrimonial syndicate." She posed as the rich widow who would "wed a respectable man." Men of all stations showered money upon her. She had a correspondence bureau and the letters she wrote to each man fairly breathed of love. She is now under arrest.

IN BOSTON—A GLOWING TALE OF PIRATE LOOT.

Sadie Mason, in Boston, the woman believed to be Mrs. Bina F. Verrault, in New York, floated upon the vision of the Hub with an alluring tale of hidden pirates' gold in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. With G. Allen Mason, who posed as her brother, she sought aid from prominent financiers to back a scheme to recover this loot. They failed. Then the pair vanished, while detectives were hunting for them.

"I'M A PUBLIC BENEFACTOR," SAYS WOMAN WHO DUPED MANY FORTUNE HUNTERS

MR. GEO. T. VERRAULT.

MRS GEORGE T. VERRAULT ALIAS MRS. HAMILTON

LEO KIESLER

JEWEL STUDDED LOCKET FOR WHICH KIESLER GAVE UP $200.00

BUTLER WHOM KIESLER ALWAYS MET AT THE HAMILTON HOUSE

FIGURES IN LOVE-LETTER CAMPAIGN.

Besides Mrs. Verrault-Hamilton, who is accused of conducting a matrimonial swindle by which she won several dupes, are seen Mr. Verrault, her husband, the faithful butler, and Kiesler, another of her alleged victims.

Helen Hamilton Says Men Seeking Rich Wife Rightly Served by Her.

By Dorothy Dix.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—In olden times, when the sirens wished to lure men into their nets they sat upon the rocks and combed their hair with a golden comb and sang a little song.

The modern Circe sits at home in a luxuriously furnished house and inserts modest little "Ads" in the newspapers or answers the wail of a lonely heart that has taken this way of seeking its affinity.

Both methods work. The victims come and depart poorer but wiser men, and just how the trick is done was amusingly explained by Mrs. Binat Verrault—or Mrs. Helen Hamilton, to call her by her "nom de guerre"—after she had appeared in court to answer the charges of various men who assert that they had wooed her with costly jewels, and expensive feeds, and cold, hard cash, under the promise to marry, but that she had failed to make good.

It must be admitted that as Mrs. Hamilton and her friend, Mrs. James Pemberton Brown, entered their lawyer's office neither one looked like the conventional siren. They were just a couple of remarkable nice-looking, well-dressed women. Mrs. Brown is the elder of the two women, and the better looking and the shrewder. She is evidently the leader, and does the talking, speaking always to the point, and using cultivated English. She has a graceful, slender figure, reddish hair, and wore a handsome cloth suit of Alice blue with a white net and lace waist, and a blue hat trimmed with white roses.

Mrs. Hamilton is stouter than her friend though she has a fine, strong, athletic figure and is a woman that one would guess to be about thirty years old.

"I'm a Benefactor."

"I really," she said, "consider myself a public benefactor for having taken in these men, who seek to get acquainted with women by means of personals in papers. No man who does such things intends any good to the woman. A man who really wants honestly to marry a woman does not advertise for a wife as he would for a cook. Everyone of them intends some wrong to the woman, to take advantage of her in some way, and to get her money, if she has any, and so I think I have done women a service in giving some of these smart ones a lesson.

"Every man of them, from first to last, told me from the beginning that he would just come and live in my house. What amused me most was Mr. Kiesler. I answered his advertisement in the Herald.

Letter From Keisler.

"The next day I got this letter from him," and Mrs. Verrault passed over a letter, which read as follows:

"Friday, Oct. 27, 1905.

"Dear Mrs. Verrault—Permit me to repeatedly thank you for the pleasant interview you granted me last night. While we each had occasion to observe each other from various standpoints, and to compare each other's qualities with the standard set by ourselves, we rather hesitate to tell about whether it is favorable or not. However, I will say this:

"The first impression is the one we go by, and I only wish that your opinion of me shall equal my opinion of you. I doubt if I was justified in occupying your time last night as long as I did, being but a conventional first call, but had it not been so pleasant to me I surely would have cut it shorter. As it was I wish it could have lasted longer and shall anxiously look forward for your answer should you deem this, or rather me, worthy of one.

"And now may I tender you an invitation for an evening next week at your convenience? Would suggest, providing your kind acceptance, that instead of seeing a show we go to the Waldorf or Imperial or Martin's Cafe and spend the evening in pleasant conversation, if you please.

"Being confident of your ability to judge these things properly and act independently, may I look forward to your kind reply to my sincere suggestion? Whichever way your decision may be given a line or two will be appreciated by yours sincerely,

L. KIESLER."

They went to the Waldorf and Mr. cented although it was only the second time that they had met and scarce a month later he indited a letter that read thus:

"37 West 120 street, Nov. 22, 1905.

"My Dearest Angel:

"Am prostrated. No one can console me but you, my dearest and only happiness. If I did not know your virtues, your stern character, your noble soul and, above all, your faithful and sincere promise, my dearest sweetheart, my life at this moment would be a thing of the past. But my implicit faith in you, my shining star, keeps me alive. Oh, Almighty, in these loving hours do not abandon me. Let not two such souls be separated. No, you will not abandon us. Righteous souls must have their reward on this earth.

"I pray to thee, my dearest love, with all my true heart. Oh, could I only be with you at this moment I would be ready to die. Let me know just as soon as you get these lines where I can meet you. My soul will always be yours, but my life can never survive your "No." With the utmost confidence of seeing you soon, and triumphantly calling you my own to the last of my breath, my own. LEON."

"He was the worst," pursued Mrs. Verrault, reminiscently. "He would spend hours on his knees kissing my hand, and declaring that if I ever changed he would kill himself on my front steps. He also expressed a willingness to come and live in my house, where, he thought, we could be very happy on my ten thousand a year. He said that all Hungarians expected to marry rich Americans when they came to this country, and that the reason he advertised was because he did not know how to get acquainted with a woman with money.

"Everyone of them believed that I was rich and silly enough to let him get hold of my fortune. That is the reason that the first time they saw me they would swear I was the first and only woman they ever saw that they could love. None of them ever felt that way about me when I was a poor stenographer. Oh, it's easy enough for a woman to fool a man who is trying to marry her for money. He will bite at the bait."

MRS. VERRAULT AND SADIE MASON ONE?

From what the Boston police have been able to discover in the mystery of the doings of Mrs. Bina F. Verrault, now under arrest in New York on the charge of swindling susceptible men by the game of the "rich widow who would meet respectable man," it is now believed that she is the handsome Sadie Mason, who last Spring unfolded the tale of pirates' gold to the extent of two millions, the hiding place of which was known only to herself, and for which she wanted money to organize a searching party.

Mrs. Verrault has in New York attached the name Mason to her own, and has used many other aliases, and there are other similarities upon which the Boston police base their conclusions. Advices now in the hands of the police state that this woman has operated many bunco games in and around Boston, as well as in New York and other large cities.

Secret of Pirate's Gold.

Sadie Mason landed in Boston, apparently from nowhere except that she said Canada, last March. She took lodgings at No. 81 Waltham street, South End. Then she startled the city by hinting mysteriously at what she knew of the secrets of a pirate ship's hidden treasure somewhere in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Associated with her in this scheme was a man named G. Allen Mason, who posed as her brother.

After unsuccessful attempts to get financial backing in a search for the hidden millions the pair disappeared. It is believed that they actually did get some money to help along, but no one has ever entered complaint.

Police Captain Duggan declares that G. Allen Mason, who posed as the brother of Miss Mason, was none other than George Allen Mason, an ex-convict who had served two years for blackmail in the jail at Springfield, together with his brother Frank.

RAISE CAPITAL STOCK.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 15.—The stockholders of the Philadelphia Company ratified the proposition to increase the capital stock from $36,000,000 to $42,000,000.

KAISER HUGS AND KISSES KING EDWARD

Greeting so Enthusiastic That Royal Visitor's Hat Is Knocked Askew.

SCHOOL CHILDREN CHEER

CRONBERG, Prussia, Aug. 15.—King Edward arrived here from London at 9 o'clock this morning for the long-delayed conference with Emperor William.

The meeting between the monarchs was most enthusiastic, especially upon the part of the Kaiser. King Edward wore a frock coat. The Kaiser, wearing the uniform of a field marshal, met him and so warmly embraced and kissed him that King Edward's hat was nearly knocked off.

There was a pretty scene in connection with the meeting. All the local school children, wearing white dresses and carrying bunches of flowers, were drawn up near the station and enthusiastically cheered the monarchs.

Almost immediately after his arrival King Edward and the Kaiser entered an auto and started for Friedrichshof, the route being lined with soldiers. As the automobile began to move all the church bells in the place were rung.

SAVES BODY OF SON FROM KNIFE

LEWISTON, Me., Aug. 15.—Mrs. James McNally, a soldier's aged widow, is trying to learn through an attorney why her son's body was sent to the Maine Anatomical School at Portland for dissection. William McNally, a weaver, was found dead, by suicide, his body suspended from a rafter in a barn at Oakland. The Oakland coroner turned the remains over to an undertaker and fellow-workingmen of the dead man identified the body. The undertaker, after embalming McNally's body, sent it to Portland. The price paid for cadavers is about $20.

By chance the poor mother here learned that the suicide was her son and steps were at once taken to save it from the dissecting table. A telephone message from Undertaker McDonough here ordered that the body be held. It was then about to be shipped to the Bowdoin Medical School. It is now buried in Calvary cemetery at Portland.

SULTAN ILL, BARS VISITORS

LONDON, Aug. 15—Reports state that notwithstanding the official declarations it is certain that the condition of the Sultan still remains serious. His servants permit no one to approach him. It is difficult to learn the exact nature of his illness, but there is excellent authority for saying that it is gravel, accompanied with hemorrhage.

SAVES OWN LIFE FROM FLAMES ON CLOTHING

Wreathed in flames from head to foot, Mrs. Robert Gardiner of No. 188 Harrison avenue saved her own life last evening by having presence of mind enough to smother the fire with rugs and clothes. She was heating some medicine over a lamp when it exploded. She was badly burned and is now at the Relief Hospital.

BAY STATE VETS IN FIGHT FOR COMMANDER

Favor Brown of Ohio for National Chief of Grand Army.

VERMONTERS IN REUNIONS

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 15.—In the fight for the office of commander-in-chief of the Grand Army, now holding its national encampment here, Massachusetts delegates are in favor of O. R. Brown of Ohio for the place. The Bay State delegation numbers over 700. They also favor Saratoga as the next meeting place.

The Vermont delegation, including the women of the W. R. C., numbering in all about 600, has arrived with a band and today takes up a line of reunions. The first one will be held tonight in the reception room of the Mayor at City Hall. The women of the New Hampshire delegation are today the guests of the Minnesota hostesses.

To-day the big parade is held, and it is expected that there will be about 25,000 men in line. The route will cover two miles.

In the fight yesterday over the office of commander-in-chief some bitterness was shown in a circular passed around attacking the war record of Captain P. H. Coney of Kansas, a prominent candidate. The circular was not signed. Captain Coney said little, making a simple denial.

Two deaths occurred yesterday, one of the old soldiers to pass away being a visitor and the other a resident of this city.

J. H. Rocke of Burlington, Kan., sixty-five years old, dropped dead in the office of the Pauley Hotel. Apoplexy was given as the cause. He was a member of the Forty-fourth New York in the Civil War.

George H. Smith, seventy years of age, of Minneapolis, died as the result of injuries received in a collision of two teams. He was a member of the First New York Dragoons.

The excessive heat has caused a number of prostrations among the visitors. Provision has been made to care for all old soldiers who may be prostrated in the parade to-day.

SIXTY LAWYERS TALK RATE BILL

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 15.—About sixty lawyers, representing the largest railroads east of the Mississippi river, especially those running south of the Ohio river and the New England States are assembled here to make a detailed study of the provisions of the railroad rate bill which takes effect August 29.

The presiding officer is former Judge Edward Baxter of Nashville, Tenn., and he states that:

"We have not met here to find any way to evade or avoid the new law. We are here solely to consult among ourselves and decide just what our clients will be compelled to do in order to carry out the provisions of the new measure. We do not expect to communicate with the interstate commerce commission."

The meeting was secretly held under guard.

MAD MULLAH KILLS 700 MEM

ADEN, Aug. 15.—After devasting nineteen Ogaden villages the Mad Mullah, inflamed by his success, has attacked the Sultan of Mijertain's territory. Both sides lost heavily. The Sultan lost nine near relatives and 700 warriors killed, but eventually repulsed the Mullah toward Illig and the coast.

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Now $17.00 .... Were $25.00
Now $18.00 .... Were $30.00

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10.00 Suits 5.75
Smart fancy Scotch cheviots or the dressy blue serge are found in this line, tailored well and full of good style, right out of our 10.00 lines

$12.00 Suits 7.45
Look the city over and back you come to us. Never were such splendid values offered before. Suits of cheviot, worsted or tweed, as you will ....

$15.00 Suits 8.60
Full of character and style, and at the price each suit is a dandy. Buy for another season. Black or blue, fancy cheviots and Scotches ....

Men's Outing Suits—Flannels, Homespuns and Worsteds. Were $7.50, $10 and $15. Now 4.85, 6.75, 8.60

Special Sale Outing Shirts—Overstocked on shirts, necessitates this price cutting—percales, madras, soisette and corded fabrics—worth 69c. to 85c. 48c

LABOR AND LEAGUE MEN ARE INVITED

Cambridge Wage Earners Appoint Committee to Co-operate With City Ownership League.

PARTY TIES SHAKEN OFF

Stirred to action by the earnestness and eloquence of the speakers at a mass meeting under the auspices of the Wage Earners' Club of Cambridge in Central Labor Union Hall last night, wage earners of Cambridge renounced their past political affiliations and appointed a committee to confer with the Municipal Ownership League with a view to concerted action during the coming campaign.

They also pledged themselves to unite with the Municipal Ownership League in an organized effort to end the reign of private monopoly by electing honest men to office and holding them responsible for their official acts and votes.

"As a means toward securing non-partisan independent action in politics," said President W. L. Morrison of the Wage Earners' Club, as soon as he had called the meeting to order, "we call upon you workingmen to support candidates for public office who will agree to favor legislation indorsed by wage earners.

Senate Roundly Scored.

"We charge the majority of the Massachusetts Senate with being not only an unrepresentative, but a misrepresentative body. We charge it with being this year, as in years past, disgracefully subservient to the will of the lobby, for with our own eyes we have seen its representatives obey the beck and call of members of the third house.

"We charge the opponents of labor measures with resorting to tricks and sharp practice in order to secure the defeat of our measures. We have been confronted with packed committees, badgering corporation attorneys and a powerful lobby. We have appeared before legislative committees whose verdict was predetermined before the case was opened. We have heard the open boast of the third house as to how certain votes on labor bills would result, and we have seen these predictions verified.

"We have seen our senatorial districts so politically gerrymandered as to best serve the forces in opposition. With approximately only 25 per cent more votes than the minority, one political organization is enabled to secure more than double the number of Senators. In addition to this, we find many of these Senators biased by birth, training and political environment.

Wage Earners Disfranchised.

"And so the wage-earning community is largely disfranchised in the senatorial field. Lawyers and manufacturers control the upper branch. This is neither just nor expedient nor for the interest of the Commonwealth. Our mission is to secure a more popular representation. We have the suffrage to do it, and the fault will be our own if we fail in the attempt."

J. E. Potts of Boston said that the time had come for all patriotic citizens without regard to past party affiliations, to unite in an organized effort to put honest men in office and hold them responsible for their official acts and votes.

"We want to see at least fifty good Trades Unionists in the Legislature next year," continued Mr. Potts. "We want to see men there who will fight for the enforcement of the eight-hour law and the child-labor law. The State police are not doing their duty.

"We must defeat those trimmers who dodged the overtime bill. W. F. Dana was rewarded by a judgeship by the Governor because he opposed organized labor. Wage-earners, by united action, can elect anyone to office they see fit. We can elect a Governor of this Commonwealth if the wage earners will do their duty as independents."

L. W. E. Kimball, C. E. O'Donnell and John L. Helm and Clarence E. Akerstrom spoke in a similar strain.

On motion of Augustus Seaver, president of the Cambridge League of Municipal Ownership Clubs, a committee of five was appointed by the chair to confer with the Municipal Ownership League with a view to concerted action during the coming campaign.

KISSED GIRLS; TEACHER TO GO

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 15.—The Morrisville, Pa., school board has, after an exciting executive session demanded that Professor William A. Gawley, principal of the borough high school, resign because of the charges that he hugged and kissed some of his big girl pupils. Gawley is expected to refuse to resign, and in that event formal charges will be made against him.

SEEK MAN TO SPEND $540,000

The San rFancisco Relief Fund Committee will meet at its headquarters, No. 161 Devonshirt street, tomorrow to see if it can find a man to spend its remaining $540,000.

The committee wants a trustworthy man to go to San Francisco to attend to the distribution of this balance. It selected W. H. Seabury but he later notified the committee he could not spare the time.

MULLAH KILLS SULTAN'S 700

LONDON, Aug. 15.—According to the correspondent at Aden of The Daily Mail after devastating nineteen Ogaden villages, the Mad Mullah, puffed up by his success, attacked the Sultan of Mijertain's territory. Both sides lost heavily. The Sultan had nine near relatives and 700 warriors killed, but eventually repulsed the Mullah toward Illig and the coast.

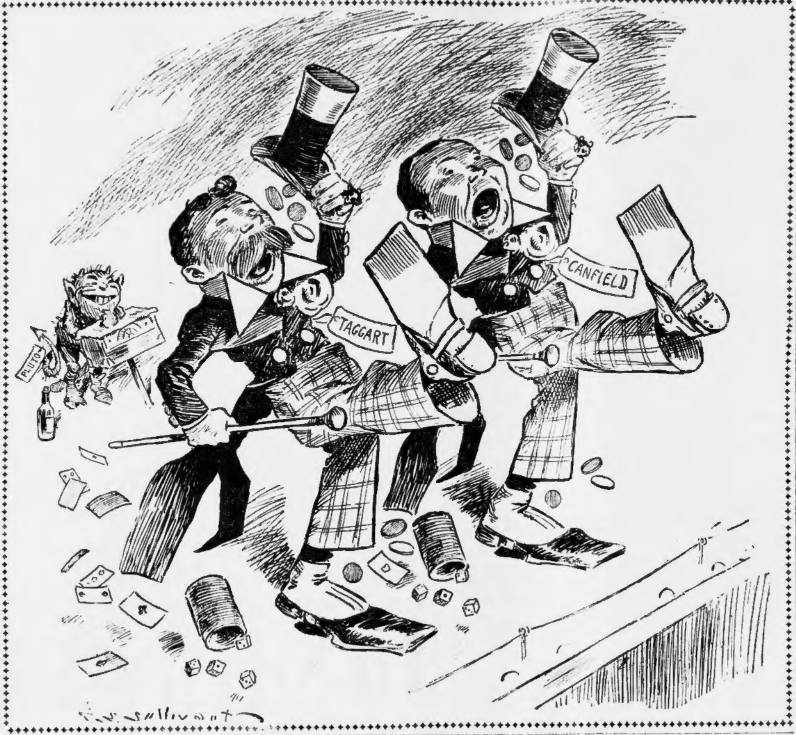
CHILDREN LOCKED IN HOUSE MANY DAYS

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 15.—Sobs and cries of children coming from the back room of a house attracted the attention of neighbors, who yesterday broke open the locked door and found the two children of Mrs. Sallie Brown, seven and five years old.

Their mother, the children said, had been gone several days. The children's tongues were parched and swollen.

SOMETHING NEW IN VAUDEVILLE.

Messrs. Taggart and Canfield In Their Famous Song and Dance Entitled "Why Should Our Little Gambling Games Be Stopped By Governors?"



CANDIDATES, DO YOU FAVOR EAST BOSTON GRAB?

—*J. HENRY STEVENSON.*

Prominent Citizen Seeks to Put on Record Two Republicans Who Aim for Legislature.

The following open letter has been addressed to Lewis Burnham of East Boston and Alfred S. Hall of Revere, candidates for the Republican nomination for the Senate in the First Suffolk district, by former Representative J. Henry Stevenson. Mr. Stevenson has been a life-long resident of East Boston, and prominent in its social and business affairs. He is one of the largest property owners in the district. He bitterly fought the National Dock Trust scheme, and is determined that candidates for public office shall declare themselves on the use of public streets by private interests.

"East Boston, August 8 1906.

"Dear Sir:

"You are mentioned from time to time in the daily press as a candidate for the Senate in the first Suffolk district. You will not therefore take it amiss that I address this open letter to you with the hope of hearing your views on the matters which follow:

"1. The people of East Boston after an agitation covering a period of thirty years have succeeded in procuring the abolition of grade crossings in their district. The expense is estimated at $1,500,000.

"2. What is their surprise to find that since the decree of abolition of grade crossings two efforts have been made to undo the work:

"First—By a combination known as the Gaston interests which sought the privilege of laying down and maintaining a freight railway at grade on Condor and Border streets. The scheme was vetoed by the late Mayor Collins and defeated. The interests then appealed to the Legislature, where they were again defeated. There are rumors current that the effort to obtain this franchise will be renewed before the next Legislature.

"Second—By the National Dock Trust which sought a franchise to lay down and maintain tracks at grade in the public streets in the vicinity of the South Ferry. The scheme was vetoed by the late Mayor Collins, and the veto sustained by the Board of Aldermen. Nevertheless, certain aldermen by riotous and revolutionary methods have attempted to give the franchise force and effect. The question is now before the Attorney General at the request of our leading citizens, that he bring the matter before the Supreme Court. The scheme will probably come before the next Legislature, should the action of the Board of Aldermen be held illegal, as the best opinion judges likely.

"3. That there may be no misunderstanding as to your attitude later I should like to have you answer at such length as time will permit the following questions:

"A. Are you opposed to the Gaston interests scheme to lay down and use freight railway tracks at grade on Condor and Border streets?

"B. Are you opposed to the National Dock Trust scheme to lay down and use railroad tracks at grade in the streets in the vicinity of the South Ferry, connecting with the railroad location affected by the decree of abolition of grade crossings?

"Yours respectfully,

"J. HENRY STEVENSON."

TURNS BUSINESS BLOCK INTO BEEHIVE

WINSTED, Ct., Aug. 15.—Although rents in Winsted bring realty owners a good profit, C. E. Messenger, who owns a four-story block in the heart of the business district, has emptied his top floor of humanity and has established there ten colonies of bees, which, he says, will produce more than 600 pounds of honey, worth 25 cents a pound.

OIL MAGNATE'S DAUGHTER TO WED CHAUFFEUR

Miss May Bedford's Engagement Announced to Johannis Schiott.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 15.—The ardent and dauntless love of Johannes Schiott, a fine young Norwegian sailorman, has won a splendid prize. The engagement of Miss May Esther Bedford, daughter of Edward T. Bedford, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Green Farms, Conn., to ex-Lieutenant Schiott has been announced. They will be married October 13 next at the splendid Bedford estate, Green Farms.

Miss Bedford is a blonde, very pretty, about twenty-two years old. Her father, whose wealth is estimated at $15,000,000, is high in the counsels of the Standard Oil Company, and resigned from the directory of the Ice Trust recently. The family's town residence is No. 181 Clinton avenue, Brooklyn.

Was Sailor in Navy.

Johannis Schiott was first lieutenant in the Norwegian navy for a few years. Very recently he was compelled to take the position of a chauffer here, for he has no fortune. For a time Mr. Bedford regarded the match with disfavor.

Christian Schiott, Johannis's brother, is a pianist of ability, well known in Brooklyn. He gave a concert there two years ago. By chance Miss May Bedford attended it; by chance, too, Lieutenant Schiott, who was on leave of absence, was at the concert. They met. Very soon the lieutenant informed the Norwegian Navy Department that his leave must be prolonged. Then he sought a business career in New York City in order to maintain himself in this country.

Devoted and Constant Wooer.

His attentions to Miss Bedford were constant and devoted, and they were most agreeable to her. Her father's frown were invisible to him. When the Bedford family went to Green Farms this Spring Schiott came here and got a position as a chauffeur. It may be that he pursued his courting in an auto, for Miss Bedford is often seen driving her motor car, and there is plenty of room for two autos abreast on the roads around here.

Two months ago Lieutenant Schiott's father died in Norway. He went there, returned—now the engagement is announced.

Miss May Bedford is as plucky as she is pretty. She proved her bravery at a fire in her Brooklyn home. Although the house was filled with smoke, she and a maid remained, picking up jewelry and heirlooms until the arriving firemen compelled them to go.

Edward T. Bedford is vice-president of the Brooklyn Riding and Driving Club. He raises thoroughbred trotters at his stock farm, Wynfromere, near his country home.

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BIG INSURANCE JOB OFFERED LONGWORTH

President's Son-in Law May Become Secretary of Policy Holders' Committee.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Congressman Longworth, son-in-law of President Roosevelt, may become the secretary of the policy holders' committee of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. The situation of the affairs of the corporation yesterday took on the aspect of a strong inside fight and gave rise to the report that Congressman Longworth would succeed Seymour Eaton and that he had actually been asked to take up the work.

Samuel Untermyer again took a hand in the objections that are being raised against Vice President McClintock of the Mutual and in a statement that he issued Mr. McClintock is arraigned as the remaining member of the "system" in the Mutual. Mr. Untermyer's statement, in part, follows:

"I see that Mr. McClintock, with a dignity quite in keeping with the plane on which his company is conducting this controversy, refers to thirty-five of the most distinguished men in the various walks of life from all parts of the world as "small potatoes." Apart from all these gentlemen representing their own persons, they are speaking for hundreds of millions of insurance in this company.

"Mr. McClintock's anxiety about the result of this election is easily understood. He was, next to McCurdy, the head and front of the unspeakable old regime, and was an important part of the 'system' during all the years they were so tenderly 'caring for' the policy holders."

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EMBALMED 2 YEARS; FACE LIFE-LIKE

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 15.—The body of Giacomo Vessella, who died here nearly two years ago, which was then embalmed, was removed from the receiving vault to-day and prepared for shipment to Italy.

It was found to be in an excellent state of preservation, the features presenting almost a life-like appearance.

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"I used them according to directions, and soon noticed a difference; the tiny sores on my scalp began to heal, the itching stopped, and my hair began to grow thick. I have used only the one cake of Soap, one box of Ointment, and one vial of Pills, and now I have no humor on my scalp and my hair is soft and silky. I cannot say enough in praise of Cuticura. I hope this letter may be the means of helping some one. (signed) Miss Mayzie C. Atkins, Box 32, East Orleans, Mass. Mar. 19, 1905."

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WHITNEY-SULLIVAN CRY DELIGHTS REPUBLICANS

Prospect of Nomination By State Democracy Pleases Leaders of Political Opponents.

There is joy in the Republican State Committee over the prospect of Henry M. Whitney and John A. Sullivan as the ticket of the State Street Democracy.

"Get busy" is the order that has been issued to the literary bureau.

"Get up a story of Whitney's record as a chief of the Massachusetts lobby and a dealer in bargain sale legislators," is the gist of the instructions given to the bureau by the committee officials.

"And be sure and have chapters 19, 20 and 21 of Tom Lawson's "Frenzied Finance" reproduced for widespread distribution," is the positive injunction the bureau chiefs have received.

The Republican machine leaders have it all figured out that Chairman Josiah Quincy of the Democratic State machine has laid deep plans for capturing the State Convention of the Democrats, and will have a sufficient number of delegates on hand to jam through the machine programme.

They admit that they were in fear of the candidacy of District Attorney John B. Moran, but they do not attempt to conceal their joy over the possibility of Whitney.

Whitney's Heavy Guns.

"If it is to be a three-cornered fight Guild will win in a walk," said an official of the Republican State Committee. "We figure that Moran will run anyway, and that if Whitney defeats him in the convention for the regular Democratic nomination he will open the heaviest kind of artillery on the regular ticket. And we shall help along the good work."

At the very top of the printed matter that the Republicans will put out against Whitney—on the posters, circulars and letters—will be this line:

Henry M. Whitney says: "I freely admit giving the dinners and making use of the lobby."

And in black type under this confession of the candidate being boomed by the Quincy "better element" of the Democracy will be this announcement:

That West End Bill.

"The late Governor Russell, Democrat, on Henry M. Whitney's methods: 'If I had been Governor of this Commonwealth I would, under the circumstances disclosed by the investigation, have vetoed that bill (the Henry M. Whitney West End bill) as quickly as I could have put pen to paper. For I hold that it is far more important to guard sacredly the purity of legislation and to rebuke the lobby than that any measure of merit should be hastened in its passage. I hold that one of the highest duties of the Governor of this Commonwealth is to protect its fair name from legislative scandal and to protect the people from the improper control of legislation by secret influences.'"

And in the same black type will come this criticism from the Supreme Court:

"The Supreme Court of Massachusetts on Henry M. Whitney's methods: 'The practice of procuring members of the Legislature to act under the influence of what they have eaten and drunk at houses of entertainment tends to render those of them who yield to such influence wholly unfit to act in such cases. They are disqualified from acting fairly toward interested parties or toward the public. The tendency and object of these influences are to obtain by corruption what it is supposed cannot be obtained fairly.' 6 Allen, 159."

So much for the attack on Whitney by the Republicans on his record on the West End Bill, except a pleasant reference to the fact that Josiah Quincy was a member of the legislative committee that condemned Whitney's methods, and that Whitney, after declaring that he had waited fifteen years for the attack to be made on his record, publicly admits, when it is made, that the charge is true.

Coming to the gas scandals, which followed in 1896, six years after the West End game, the Lawson book will furnish Republican capital for the scotching of Whitney. Chapter 19 tells how Whitney came into the field of gas operations in Boston with his scheme for a pipe line; how he petitioned the Legislature for a special charter, promising, through the medium of an invention which he controlled and the use of cheap Province coal which he owned, to make gas so cheaply that he could sell it at 50 cents per 1,000 feet; how he, Lawson, spoiled the Whitney scheme and later made a deal with Whitney whereby the gas companies which he managed and the Whitney interests were to divide the field, Whitney agreeing to secure the authority from the Legislature and boasting that, if it became necessary, he would override a veto, that might be sent in by Governor Wolcott.

"Whitney a Star Fixer."

Of this deal Lawson writes: "In reiterating that the bribery end of our 'hitch-up' with Whitney did not appeal to me, I am neither pluming nor crowning myself: I am merely stating a fact. All who did business with Legislatures 'fixed' them and Whitney was certainly a star 'fixer.'"

Chapter 20 tells how Lawson was taken with an attack of appendicitis just about this time and how Whitney in a consolidation with Addicks and H. H. Rogers attempted to sell him out.

Chapter 21 is devoted entirely to an exposure of the methods employed by Whitney in bribing the Legislature of 1896 into passing the pipe line bill. Lawson says:

"The Whitney machine for the manufacture and molding of legislation was complex but efficient. It achieved its wonders in broad daylight. Considering all it did and how that all was accomplished, the astonishing fact is that no outcry to speak of was ever raised at its performances. It was vastly bolder than Tammany and made fewer excuses for its grabbings. It must be remembered, however, that its chief engineer was a leading citizen, and his assistants all gentlemen of great respectability and admirable antecedents and, in Boston, social and civic distinctions are shields behind which much may be concealed."

This chapter also explains how Whitney was assisted by his lawyers, Towle and Patch, in bribing members of the Legislature in rooms and parlors at Young's hotel, and how a perfect record was kept of the price paid to each venal member of the Legislature.

The striking feature of this chapter is the telling how the bottom was knocked out of the Whitney schemes by the savage veto message sent to the Legislature by Governor Wolcott on the pipe line bill. The chapter gives a pathetic recital of the flight of Towle and Patch to Jamaica and concludes with this reference to the members of the Legislature, that had been "gold-bricked" by Whitney:

"As for the members of the Great and Good Court of the old Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the year of our Lord 1896, they received, none of them could tell from where, their promised vote money in the form of a yarn that the 'stuff' belonging to them had been delivered to George Towle, but that Towle had decamped with it to foreign shores, where he was living in luxury with Mr. Patch."

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com-ing back to see us once a-gain? The folks all
say You won't come back you won't come
back you won't come back, But some-thing seems to

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"When the Whippoorwill Sings, Marguerite."
"Some Day in the Far Away" (by the composer of "You're the Flower of My Heart, Sweet Adeline").
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"You Know Who I Love" (pretty waltz song).
"Dreaming, Love, of You."
"When Your Mother Says Good-Bye" (very pretty).
"The Sweetest Song the World Has Ever Heard" (very pretty).
"Can't You See I'm Lonely?"
"Good-Bye, Glory" (sung in Primrose Minstrels).
"You're a Grand Old Flag," sung by Geo. M. Cohan.
"Somewhere" (by composers of "Would You Care?").
"Colleen Bawn" (the great Irish song).
"One Called Mother and the Other Home, Sweet Home."
"In the Land of Peace and Rest" (by the composer of "Down on the Farm").
"When You Gather Sweet Magnolias, Jennie, Dear" (beautiful rustic ballad).
"I Long to See You Once Again."
"Where the Mocking Birds Were Singing."
"My Love I Dare Not Tell."
"Let Me See You Smile."
"In the Moonlight With the Girl You Love" (by composer of "Blue Bell").

Instrumental.

"Motor March" (by composer of "Honeymoon March").
"The Graduates' March and Two-Step" (very fine).
"Bouquet of Roses" Waltzes.
"La Sorella" (latest Parisian craze).
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Busy on Official Papers Gleaning Answers to Seventeen Questions.

WORKING AT COURT HOUSE

The ten women and two men tabulating divorce data of Suffolk county in the Law Courts building have access to many personal and family matters that many a Boston woman would doubtless prefer should remain hidden in the archives of the divorce courts.

And many a Boston woman, with her full share of feminine curiosity, would like a chance to delve into the divorce records and look up the cases of some of her dear woes to court.

Busy Over Old Papers.

This divorce corps is in charge of Dr. T. F. Murphy, and it is working busily over musty old papers, dating as far back as twenty years ago. The papers are brought to the tabulating force in tin boxes by court messengers. They are carefully guarded, as they are official documents. The divorce clerks take them, mark a number for each case and extract from the records the information necessary to answer the required seventeen questions. The government is merely after data, not after the actual names, so each case is merely numbered in the report made to Dr. Murphy.

In some States divorce trials are occasionally held in private, and the testimony is ordered sealed by the court. In Massachusetts this is not done, but often, when a divorce libel is uncontested, there is little testimony in court. The records contain much personal information, however, which would doubtless make lively reading for some prominent divorced people.

17 Questions Answered.

Here are the questions to which the divorce corps is securing answers:

1—State or country in which married ....
2—Date of marriage ....
3—[illegible]
4—Date of filing petition ....
5—Who was libellant? { Husband .... / Wife ....
6—How was notice served? { Personally .... / By publication ....
7—Was case contested? { Yes .... / No ....
8—Was decree granted? { Yes .... / No ....
9—Date of decree or judgment ....
10—Number of years married ....
11—Cause for which divorced ....
12—If not direct, was intemperance an indirect cause? { Yes .... / No ....
13—Kind of divorce { Absolute .... / Limited ....
14—Number of children { By the union .... / Affected by decree ....
15—Was alimony asked? { Yes .... / No ....
16—Was alimony granted? { Yes .... / No ....
17—Occupation of { Wife .... / Husband ....

MRS. W. STARLING BURGESS
FORMERLY MRS. ALEXANDER HIGGINSON, BORN ROSAMOND TUDOR

Two prominent Boston divorcees, and sketch of census workers tabulating divorce data at court house.

WOMAN FIGHTS TO DRINK ACID

Only the quick action of Miss Clara Lightbody saved the life of Mrs. Ethel Adams, of No. 6 Cypress street, who is to-day resting comfortably in the Somerville hospital.

Despondent because her husband deserted her, Mrs. Adams tried to drink carbolic acid last night, and fought like a fiend when her chum, Miss Lightbody interfered.

Mrs. Adams attempted suicide five years ago but was then prevented by Miss Lightbody.

GIRL KILLS DEER AT 100 YARDS DISTANCE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—Jean Boalt Wheeler, the ten-year-old daughter of Attorney Charles Stetson Wheeler and niece of Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, has distinguished herself as a markswoman by shooting a deer at 100 yards straight through the heart.

EX-GOVERNOR FACES SHOT GUN

NEW LONDON, Ct., Aug. 15.—Threatened with a dose of buckshot if they did not get out of his hayfield where they were playing ball, the members of the fashionable Thames Club, of New London, were saved from such a calamity by the silvery tongue of Ex-Governor Thomas M. Waller, of Connecticut.

The exasperated farmer was taken aside by the Ex-Governor and after a few minutes earnest conversation, was shaking hands and smiling.

"How did you do it?" was asked of the Governor.

"O, he used to vote for me and when I told him who I was it came easy," said the Governor with a wise smile.

START WAR ON "MASHERS."

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Aug. 15.—The local authorities have declared war on "mashers," and as a starter have arrested O. Williams. The masher was taken before the court and sentenced to fifteen days in jail.

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SUE RUMSELLER FOR MAN'S DEATH

CUMBERLAND, W. Va., Aug. 15.—Suit has been brought at Parsons, W. Va., against C. D. Gillespie for $20,000 damages. The declaration avers that A. J. Pennington was killed by a log train on the Otto Creek Road while intoxicated from whiskey bought from Gillespie. This is one of the first cases of the kind brought in West Virginia, which makes a saloonkeeper, under the new liquor law, liable for damages to the family or wife of the person so injured or killed.

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SHIRTS, former prices $3.75, $4.00 and $4.50 .... Now 2.00
PAJAMAS, from Madras, French Cotton, Cheviot and Silk, former prices $5.50, $7.50, $9.50, $16.50 and $25.50 Now 1.75, 3.50, 6.50 and 13.50

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HOSIERY, former prices $1.50, $2.50 and $3.00 .... Now 1.00
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FANCY VESTS—Former prices $4 and $6 .... Now 2.50
FLANNEL SUITS TO ORDER Former prices $30 and $35. Now 15.00
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YOUNG WIFE TO TESTIFY

By Boston American Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—[illegible] Forsythe, the pretty show girl who for years has been the intimate friend of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, has been asked by the District Attorney's office to reveal the name of the chorus girl who called, with two other friends, at the Madison Square Garden tower suite on the afternoon preceding the killing of Stanford White by Harry Thaw.

The testimony of the friend of Miss Forsythe will serve the Thaw defense in its attempt to establish a logical motive for the shooting. Thaw's wife yesterday signified her intention of going upon the stand to speak in his behalf. She is to testify that she received a basket of flowers and a note from Stanford White on the afternoon preceding the night of the tragedy on the Madison Square roof.

Florenz Ziegfeld, Jr., husband of Anna Held, on his arrival from Europe on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. yesterday shed light upon the incident of the flowers and the note.

"We were out one day from New York," said Ziegfeld, "en route for Europe when we received a wireless that Stanford White had been slain by Harry Thaw.

"I asked the reason and Miss Forsythe told me that a short time before the [illegible] several of her chorus girl friends had called at White's studio and found that he was out. It was one afternoon preceding the killing of the architect. She said that when White's valet asked them what names they desired to leave, one of the girls, in a spirit of fun, said 'Oh, just tell him that Mrs. Harry K. Thaw called.'

"Miss Forsythe also told me that Stanford White, after receiving this message from his valet, sent a basket of flowers and a note to Thaw's wife."

GOMPERS TO LEAD WAR ON LITTLEFIELD

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—President Samuel Gompers, who is at the head of the American Federation of Labor's fight to obtain for labor sympathizers seats in the next House of Representatives, was busy to-day putting the finishing touches to his plans of campaign, and to-morrow will go into the field for active service, making Representative Littlefield of Maine the object of his first attack.

He has planned a week of strenuous work in Mr. Littlefield's district. On Saturday night, the 18th, a big mass meeting will be held at Lewiston. Following that demonstrations have been arranged for Rumford Falls, Livermore Falls, Bath, Waldoboro, Rockland and Vinal Haven. These meetings will take up the time of President Gompers until Saturday, the 25th. He will be the principal speaker at all of the meetings.

Accompanying Mr. Gompers will be Organizer Stuart Reed, and it is possible that John Mitchell, president of the miners' organization and the other members of the Federation executive committee will make speeches during the week.

Mr. Gompers says that reports from the various labor organizations in the Littlefield district are most encouraging, and that he has been promised large and enthusiastic gatherings at each meeting.

After the week's campaign in the Maine district President Gompers will go to Keene, N. H., for a stay of several days, and on Labor Day he will speak in Rutland, Vermont. There he will urge the defeat of Representative Foster, who stepped upon the toes of organized labor when he proposed in the last session of Congress to let down the Chinese exclusion bars just a little.

As a counter attraction the Republican managers have arranged with Speaker Cannon for a week's speech-making tour of Representative Littlefield's district in Maine. He will appear next week after the Gompers tour.

PREPARES TO ORGANIZE WOMEN PEDLERS' UNION

Deserted Wife Plans to Systematize Work of House-to-House Dealers.

MRS. SUSAN STENESHOES, WHO PLANS FOR WOMAN PEDLERS' UNION.

Deserted by her husband three months ago in New York, leaving her with three small children which she has perforce supported since by selling fruit on the street corner, Mrs. Susan Steneshoes, of No. 3 Bowdoin place, has decided to form a union to protect the interests of the women peddlers of Boston.

"I have seen the good that the trade unions have done for men, and I believe that one could be formed that would aid the dependent women peddlers of Boston," says Mrs. Steneshoes. "Rules could be made that would decide the territory that each woman would have, and in this way do away with the useless competition which is now going on."

Mrs. Steneshoes has talked with some of the other woman peddlers and all have approved of the plan. The idea will be developed at once and before Winter the women of Boston who are compelled to earn their living by peddling will have a union to protect their interests.

Mrs. Steneshoes was born in Russia twenty-nine years ago. She came to this country three years ago and until three months ago lived in New York. In the early part of June, without any warning, her husband packed his belongings and departed to parts unknown, leaving the woman with three small children and nothing to support them.

She came to Boston and secured a license to sell fruit on the street corner. Lacking the money to purchase a suitable cart she utilized a battered baby carriage which she found lying in the alley back of her home. With this and a few baskets of apples she took her stand at the corner of Salem and Parmenter strets. At first success was slow, but of late she has built up a good trade.

That the formation of a union will bring beneficial changes for the women peddlers of Boston is Mrs. Steneshoes's thought.

Abraham Canter, who conducts a dry goods store at No. 159 Salem street and who is in direct touch with the peddlers of the North End, has been approached with the scheme and thinks well of it. The matter is daily gaining ground among the women peddlers of the district.

READS 'HAMLET' GIRL DROWNS IN LAKE OPHELIA

Find Rambling Notes Like Those Spoken by Bard's Love-Sick Maid.

HER BODY IS RECOVERED

LIBERTY, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Like the heroine of Shakespeare's tragedy, Miss Amelia Umbach, nineteen, who lived in Brooklyn, drowned herself in Lake Ophelia, and an investigation to-day of her suicide indicates that she was influenced in her act of self-destruction by reading "Hamlet." In her room in Smith's cottage, from which she disappeared Monday, were found rambling notes similar in character to the last words of Ophelia.

When the young woman disappeared it was at first thought that she had returned to New York. Mr. Smith, proprietor of the cottage, who is a former New York policeman, went to her room to see whether she had taken her belongings away, and on a table he saw the notes. He at once guessed that she had gone away to end her life, and searching parties were formed with the hope that she might be found in time to save her life.

All through this section the parties went on Monday night. Then Mr. Smith thought of Lake Ophelia and of the girl's weird notes. George D. Lebstein, a brother-in-law, went to the lake with grappling hooks and found the body.

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consisting of shirt waist suits, two-piece suits, linen, lawn and batiste, former price $2.95 to $4.95, at	consisting of shirt waist suits, two-piece suits, linen, lawn and batiste, values up to $7.50, at	consisting of shirt waist suits, Princess gowns, two-piece suits, linen, lawn and batiste, values up to $12, at	consisting of shirt waist suits, Princess gowns, two-piece suits, lawn and batiste, values up to $19.75, at
$1.50	$2.95	$4.95	$7.50

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29c For cotton night gowns, made with tucked yoke, good length and width.
38c For 50c muslin night gowns, trimmed with lace or embroidery between tucks on yoke.
54c For cotton night gowns, V neck, tucked yoke, finished with small hem-stitched ruffle around neck and sleeves.
22c For 39c cotton drawers, umbrella ruffles, plain or hem-stitched tucks.
33c Cotton drawers, umbrella ruffles, trimmed with lace insertions or cluster tucks.
54c For 69c and 75c drawers, nainsook or cambric drawers, prettily trimmed.
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DRESSMAKERS' PINS, full count, regular values 5c paper; 6 papers 5c

Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Essex Street Side

DEFYING BOSSES, TAUNTON FORMS INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE

ENTHUSIASM RUNS HIGH AT MEETING WHERE PARTY LINES ARE RULED OUT.

Special to the Boston American.

TAUNTON, Aug. 15.—With men at its head well known for their honesty and ability for their position on public questions and their active interest in labor organizations, an Independence League was formed in this city last evening at a meeting brimming over with enthusiasm, in Elks' Hall.

"With those who control, or think they control, both parties in the State working together to prevent the people from regaining the power that once they possessed in State affairs; with the bosses of one party demanding that the citizens shall support the man who helped to kill the Overtime Bill and rewarded by a position on the bench the Senator who did the most to kill it; with the bosses of the other party demanding that their followers shall support a man whose name has been published from one end of the country to the other as the chief barterer in the most notorious Legislature that ever offered itself for sale in Massachusetts; and with all the bosses of both parties uniting to suppress all the issues that are alive and resurrect issues whose vitality is long past, it is certainly time that the people of the State, irrespective of party, organized in such a movement as this to regain the control of the government."

These, the words of one of the speakers, expressed the sentiment uppermost in the meeting.

Many Labor Men There.

Democrats and Republicans were about equally represented in the gathering, and there were prominent representatives of the Moulders', Carpenters', Cigarmakers' and Typographical Unions present.

The principles of the Independence League were outlined by Secretary Davis of the State League, who also informed the local prospective members of the progress of the organization in other parts of the State.

Chairman E. Gerry Brown of the Committee of Fifteen of the Wage Earners' Clubs, who had run over to Taunton after the all-day session of the general convention of the Wage Earners' Clubs in Boston, made a brief address, in which he assured those present that the Independence League, working for the same principles as the Wage Earners' although on slightly broader lines, was an association which every member of a Wage Earners' Club could well join. He spoke of the condition of unrest in city, country and State, and the need for such a movement as this to solidify at the polls the sentiment now rampant among those members of all parties who are awakening to a realization of the fact that the bosses of the parties stand together for the same interests and against the rights of the people.

State Needs Organization.

John O'Hearne, former Mayor of Taunton, voiced his approbation of the principles of the League. "I have stood for these principles for many years," he said, "sometimes in victory, sometimes in defeat. There never was a time more than now, and never a State more than Massachusetts, that needed such an organization as this, which can be entered by men of all shades of political belief who believe in honest government and that the people of the country should be the real rulers.

"I have always been, and am to-day, a Democrat, but I refuse to allow my democracy to be defined on State street, by people who profess to be able to tell me what Democracy is and what its issues are. I refuse to accept their definition all the more when I see the same interests, which seem to be in control of the Republican party, also endeavoring to outline the acts and issues of the Democratic party."

Mr. O'Hearne talked at some length upon the question of public ownership, to the advocacy of which the Independence League is pledged. He reviewed the experience of Taunton, which, with him as the moving spirit a dozen years ago, began and completed the acquisition of its electric plant by the citizens.

Try to Kill City Ownership.

"Interests opposed to municipal ownership have unceasingly done what they could to prevent the success of the public holding of this plant," he said, "and stories have been spread broadcast as to the failure of the project in this city. It might not be an exaggeration to say that municipal ownership in Taunton, even after these years, has not had a fair trial.

"Notwithstanding this, a fact or two will no doubt prove interesting. This year has more than half passed and not one cent has yet had to be appropriated in this city for lighting the streets. The income from commercial lighting and power has paid the cost of street lighting in Taunton. This, at the price which was paid under private ownership, means a saving of $32,300 a year. And even though the city had refrained from going into the lighting business and had accepted the sweeping reduction that the company offered if the municipal ownership project should be abandoned, the saving is still $26,000 each year.

"In the face of those figures, gleaned from our own experience, will anyone say to us that the principle of municipal ownership is not a vital one for us to indorse?"

President Charles G. Kidder of the Central Labor Union said that voters in both parties must align themselves into one or the other of two groups—those who progress and those who stand still. The latter are satisfied to have the government in the hands of the corrupt combinations of wealth, which purchase legislation and elect their own representatives to office, he said. The former are desirous of restoring the government into the hands of the people.

Urges Wage Earners to Join.

"Such an association as the Wage Earners' Clubs will unite men pledged to doing their best to securing these desired results," said Mr. Kidder. "The Independence League will unite men seeking the same end, many of whom cannot join the Wage Earners. I am glad to belong to both the organizations and to urge my fellow members of the Wage Earners to join this League, which is broader in its scope."

Thomas Houston, a member of the executive committee of the Taunton Wage Earners' Club, and former organizer of the Cigarmakers' Union, indorsed what President Kidder of the Central Labor Union and the other speakers had said regarding the parallel purposes of the two organizations, and spoke along other lines as to the desirability of all workingmen uniting themselves with the Independence League.

There was an open discussion, participated in by a considerable number of those present, after which a recess was taken, during which those who had not already done so, were given an opportunity to sign the membership roll. The League then proceeded to the work of perfecting a provisional organization. The following officers were elected by nomination from the floor:

President, Charles G. Kidder, president of the C. L. U.; secretary, Thomas Houston; executive committee, President Kidder, Secretary Houston, John O'Hearne, George W. Hewitt, Francis A. Martin, John D. Fahey and Stanley Quillen.

Plans were made for early meetings of the executive committee, and for active work in interesting the independent voters of Taunton in the principles of the League and securing their signatures as members.

HOLYOKE LEAGUE GROWING RAPIDLY PRESIDENT SAYS

Special to the Boston American.

HOLYOKE, Aug. 15.—Members of the Central Labor Union, appreciating that the movement is one with which they are in hearty sympathy, are signing the membership roll of the Independence League in large numbers. Fifty members were secured at Sunday's meeting of the Central Union, and Secretary William E. Moran is being besieged with requests for pledges and other literature of the organization.

"The League is growing rapidly," said President Owen Fleming to-day, "and it will not be more than a fortnight before its membership will be quadrupled, I am sure."

President Fleming is also head of the Central Labor Union and of the Wage Earners' Club in Holyoke. He is advising every member of the Wage Earners to join the Independence League.

FIRST 'QUAKE TEST CASE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—The first insurance case involving the earthquake clause, that of a shoe company against the Williamsburg Fire Insurance Company, was called yesterday and the trial was set for August 27 before a jury.

62 DAYS have elapsed since the BOSTON AMERICAN filed with the Attorney-General a formal information [illegible] that he bring suit to force the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the Boston & Albany Railroad to obey the law and to abandon the competing trolley lines which they have illegally acquired.

Why does the Attorney-General delay?

HONOR FOSTER WITH PUBLIC DINNER TONIGHT

A complimentary banquet will be tendered Frank K. Foster, the noted labor leader, in the Quincy House to-night at 7:30 o'clock. He sails to-morrow for Europe, where he will represent the American Federation of Labor at the British Trades' Congress. One hundred and fifty have accepted invitations to be present.

Mayor Fitzgerald and a number of prominent politicians will be present. The Mayor will speak.

D. D. Driscoll, of the State branch of the American Federation of Labor, will introduce the toastmaster, William Joyce, of the Boston Central Labor Union.

The Civic Federation will be represented by the following men who are the guests of honor: Lucius Tuttle, president of the Boston & Maine railroad; Charles S. Hamlin, Charles A. Burgess, E. H. Wolcott, Haynes Robbins, Robert O. Woods, Henry Lovering, H. A. Filene, Charles F. Pidgin, William N. Osgood and John S. Lawrence. rence.

The list of speakers include Mayor Fitzgerald, Ex-Mayor J. H. H. McNamee of Cambridge, Thomas M. Nolan, representing President David Coughlan of the Typographical Union; James Duncan, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, representing President Samuel Gompers; John Tobin, National President of the Boot and Shoe Workers, and Senator George A. Scofield of Ipswich.

There will be a reception from 7 until 7:30 o'clock.

BEER IN BASS HORN STOPPED CONCERT

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 15.—The deadly practical joke was played upon an unsuspecting member of a German band in Frost Kuenlein's saloon in Reading, and it almost caused the death of the musician. The man gave his name as Johan Weltke, and he plays the bass horn.

Some one poured the contents of a huge stein of beer into the funnel end of the big horn. The man fainted and the instrument was in a dilapidated condition.

SPURNS DEMOCRACY OF MONEY JUGGLERS

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STENSLAND IN CHICAGO, SAY DETECTIVES

Clue to Missing Banker Found and Arrest Is Expected Soon.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Paul O. Stensland was in Chicago last Saturday, says Captain O'Brien, the new head of the detective bureau. Positive information as to the whereabouts of the much sought banker at the close of last week has been placed in the hands of the police and it is thought that the arrest of Stensland will be made soon.

Another warrant against Cashier Henry W. Hering, charging him with forging a note for $10,000 in the name of Marius S. Kirkeby, has been issued by Judge Kersten. Ninety-five forgeries of notes figure in the frauds by which Paul O. Stensland and his alleged accomplices looted the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank of more than $1,000,000. The total of the forgeries uncovered amounts to $692,000, according to reports so far compiled.

Had Prepared for Flight.

Interesting testimony involving Mrs. Leone Langdon and showing that Stensland had made extensive preparations for flight, was obtained by Assistant State's Attorney Olsen from Mrs. Ellen McCracken, housekeeper for the fugitive bank president. Mrs. McCracken said that Leone Langdon carried away two big trunks filled with something she did not bring to the house in her suit case.

It was learned that Stensland took with him in trunks and boxes sheets and other bedding, towels, window curtains, carpets, rugs and a silver dinner set. Some of this is said to have been traced to Baraboo, Wis., but a big trunk said to have been taken by Stensland the detectives have not been able to get a trace of. Telegrams have been sent to all parts of the world asking the authorities to look for the trunk, which is said to be three feet high and bound with iron. The box traced to Baraboo weighed 375 pounds when it was placed on an express wagon at the Stensland home the day of the flight.

Involves Another Woman.

Another woman was involved in the scandal to-night. She was the friend of Cashier Hering, who helped Stensland plunder the bank. It was learned that when Hering met her she was married, but through Hering's assistance got rid of her husband for $4,000. Hering gave her the money and she gave it to her husband on condition that he would go, and he went. This cleared the path of the pair, and for two years they made business for wine agents and caterers.

The remnant of the assets of the bank left by Stensland for the depositors is being further depleted by a fight for the receivership. Judge Brentano of the Superior Court appointed one receiver and Judge Gibbons of the Circuit Court named another. Federal Judge Bethea further complicated the tangle to-day on a petition for a third receiver by restraining the other receivers from touching Stensland's stocks in co-operative concerns.

All of the contending jurists and receivers have retained costly staffs of lawyers, and the whole expense of the litigation will come out of the slender assets belonging to the depositors.

NEGRO TROOPS RIOT IN TEXAS.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Aug. 15—The negro troops, recently stationed here, became unruly yesterday. In a scrimmage one person was killed. The Mayor has asked that State rangers be sent here to maintain order.

GRIEF KILLS COLE, GLOBE BANK CONVICT

Borne Down by Disappointment Because Opportunity's Door Was Closed.

Worry, grief and disappointment are believed to have been the primary causes of the death of Charles H. Cole, one of the ablest financiers Boston ever knew, and who served six years in Greenfield jail as the result of conviction on charges implicating him in the wrecking of the Globe National Bank. The collapse of the bank caused the loss of about $1,000,000, and although Mr. Cole had an army of friends he could not escape the penalty.

But during his years of imprisonment Mr. Cole was sustained by the belief that the public would regard him only as technically guilty and the hope that when he left his cell he could again step into State street a respected and much-sought man. His ability was universally admitted, and that he had a future in the financial world he could not doubt.

His health suffered some during confinement, but so far as can be learned he was not afflicted while in jail by tuberculosis, the disease which was the final cause of his death.

Welcomed With Open Arms.

He was attended during his incarceration by Dr. Spaulding of Hingham, who found him suffering most from mental trouble due to the disasters which swept down the Globe Bank and made its president a prisoner. Mr. Cole was better, however, when the jail door closed behind him and returned home in a buoyant mood. His faithful, loving family welcomed him with open arms and did all they could to restore him to health.

Proud of spirit and believing to the last that he had been more sinned against than sinning, Mr. Cole's general health began to fail. He relapsed into the physical condition which made him an easy prey for tuberculosis.

Wife and Son at Bedside.

Then his physicians advised that he be sent to St. Margaret's Hospital. Received there as a patient about a week ago, he sank steadily and died last night. Mrs. Cole and his son, George Cole, were at the bedside at the end.

Cole's career as a banker was one of rapid advances through the various grades of minor positions. For a quarter of a century he was looked up to, especially in the days when he was president, and he had the confidence of scores of business associates. Then came his downfall and the crash of the bank, followed shortly by several other institutions indirectly affected.

In November, 1899, he resigned the presidency of the bank, there being differences between him and Bank Examiner Wing, who was then looking into the doings of the institution.

A Fugitive from Justice.

In December of the same year Mr. Cole fled to Rodondo, Cal., but the next day after his arrival he was arrested and held as a fugitive from justice. He was indicted by the grand jury and brought back to face trial. Plans were made for a great legal battle, but Cole pleaded guilty to the wilful misappropriation of the bank's funds, as charged in three counts of the twenty-five found against him.

Many efforts were made to secure the pardon of Cole. Senator Lodge interested himself in the case, and even President Roosevelt was appealed to, but to no purpose. He served his sentence and was a model prisoner.

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Franklin Park.	Fields, walks, drives, golf and games. Franklin Park cars at Park Street Subway. Franklin Field or Mattapan cars on Washington Street or Dudley Street Elevated Station.
Paragon Park.	Popular recreation resort, beaches and bathing. Neponset cars from Dudley Street Elevated Station connect with cars for Nantasket. Atlantic Avenue Elevated trains to Nantasket steamers at Rowe's Wharf.
Marine Park.	Beach, bathing restaurant City Point, South Boston car. Transfer from Elevated trains at Dover street.
Lexington Park.	Rustic theatre, zoological garden, woods and refectory. Through car at Sullivan Square Elevated Station. Arlington Heights cars from Park St. Subway Station connect at Arlington Heights.

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ISADORA DUNCAN WED TO SON OF ELLEN TERRY?

Berlin Reports Noted American Classic Dancer Was Married in Secret.

BERLIN, Aug. 15.—The Lokal Anzeiger reports that Miss Isadora Duncan, the American dancer, has been married secretly to an Englishman named Craig, a son of Ellen Terry. It adds that the couple are now in Holland.

Miss Duncan has made her home in Berlin for several years. She made a big hit with her Greek dances immediately after her arrival here, and later on she established a school of dancing which was attended by many aristocratic women. Recently a sensation was caused by a police order forbidding Miss Duncan to dance with bare feet on the score of impropriety.

A couple of years ago Miss Duncan visited Greece and startled the people of Athens by giving dances in the classic style on the Acropolis.

She is an American girl and hails from California.

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WISTER PRESIDENT'S GUEST.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Owen Wister, the author, is the guest of President Roosevelt to-day. He arrived last evening with Representative Longworth, who spent the day in New York. The President and Mr. Wister became acquainted during their college days.

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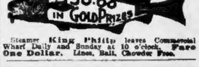

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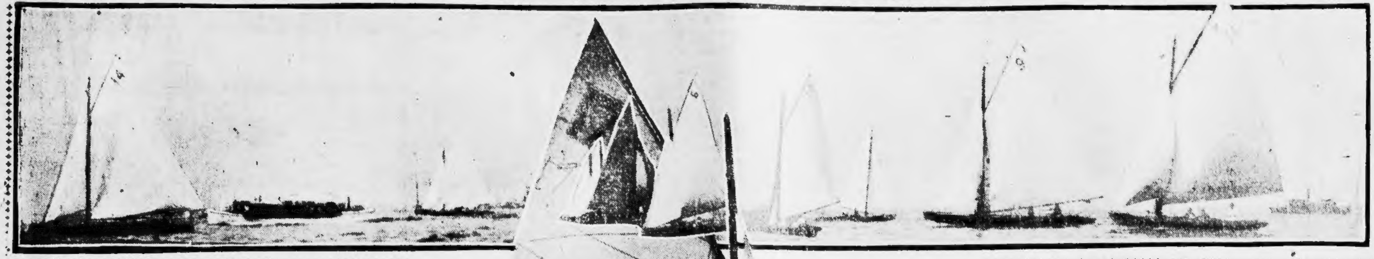

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Ferris, 2b.	Davis, s.s.
Hoey, l.f.	Donahue, 1b.
Grimshaw, 1b.	Dougherty, l.f.
Morgan, 3b.	Sullivan, c.
Peterson, c.	Tannehill, 3b.
Tannehill, p.	Walsh, p.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	61	43	.587
New York	59	42	.584
Philadelphia	58	42	.580
Cleveland	56	43	.566
St. Louis	53	49	.520
Detroit	50	53	.485
Washington	39	62	.386
BOSTON	31	73	.298

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 9; Washington, 8.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

BOSTON vs. Chicago at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Washington.

This afternoon the Boston Americans will open up with the Chicagos after having had a long trip in the West. While in the "wild and woolly" the Pilgrims did better than any of the other Eastern teams.

The record for the Collinsites in the West is three out of five from Detroit, two out of three from Cleveland, two out of five from St. Louis and one out of four from the White Sox.

The Boston team, with the exception of Manager Collins, who has a bad knee, and Catcher Armbruster, with a broken thumb, is in fine shape.

This afternoon it will be a battle royal, and a big crowd is expected, not only to welcome back the ex-champs, but also to get a line on the pennant chances of the Comiskey tribe, who now have a lead in the pennant race.

There are many familiar faces in the ranks of the White Sox. Pat Dougherty, the favorite left fielder, once a member of the local nine and later with the Highlanders, will be given a big reception by his many admirers in this city.

Tip O'Neil, who is playing in the outfield for the visitors, will be remembered for his hard work in the outer gardens for the Collinsites last season.

Since they were last seen here the White Sox have had a big winning spurt. They won all their games at home except one with the Bostons against Tannehill.

Catcher Lou Criger will probably be seen wearing the mask for the Bostons to-day after an absence of an entire season.

Jesse Tannehill will probably pitch for the home team to-day, while Nick Altrock may toe the firing line for the Sox.

All things considered, to-day's game should be a memorable one, and it would not be surprising to see a capacity attendance.

TO MAKE PLANS FOR VANDERBILT CUP RACE

BY J. C. KERRISON.

A meeting of the A. A. A. racing board will be held in New York on August 20, when it is proposed to complete arrangements for the holding of the Vanderbilt trials and final. It is presumed that all members of the board will be present at the forthcoming meeting, as many important matters affecting the race conditions are to be considered.

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There is bound to be a large attendance of members at the smoke talk of the Bay State Automobile Association to be held in its quarters on Dartmouth street to-morrow evening. The entertainment committee has made special arrangements for the reception and entertainment of its members. Mr. Frank E. Wing, the only member of the club who drove a car through the Glidden tour without scoring penalization, will be among those present and will unquestionably be accorded the praise that his feat merits.

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Clarence Gilmore, well and popularly known among the local motorists, is spending a few weeks' vacation here in Boston. Mr. Gilmore is one of the travelling force of the Rambler, and since going on the road has done some excellent work for his company.

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The Tire Trust, or pool, as it prefers to call itself, will be dissolved on September 1. It is not expected that lower prices will prevail, but certainly a bigger discount will be given to the dealer. This branch of the business with its annoying guarantees has really been a burden to the dealer who has always had to be a buffer between the user and the maker, generally to his cost.

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General Louis Victor Baughman of Frederic, Maryland, writes regarding the visit of the automobilists South next year as follows:

"I am delighted to learn that the automobilists are looking with some favor upon a trip to the South next year. Permit me to suggest for the consideration of the committee a route as follows: New York to Philadelphia, Lancaster, York, the Battlefield of Gettysburg, then on to Frederic, where the old National Pike can be taken, passing Braddocks Heights, the battlefield of Antietam, crossing the Potomac at Shepardstown. Then on to Winchester, up the Shenandoah Valley to Luray Cavern, Natural Bridge, Richmond, Norfolk to Jamestown. On the return the party could travel through Baltimore and Washington."

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Winthrop E. Scarritt is of the opinion that a very great many of the constantly occurring automobiling accidents could either be prevented entirely or at least lessened so far as their destructive effect on cars and occupants is concerned. His plan is a simple one—that of showing whoever is to sit in the front seat alongside the driver where the switch is located that controls the electric current which supplies the spark. Being possessed of the knowledge how to stop the spark, and consequently the explosions of the motor, whoever sat on the front seat would be prepared to reach over and turn the switch if the driver for any reason whatsoever should lose control of the car. Mr. Scarritt is one of America's pioneer automobilists, and has been president of both the American Automobile Association and the Automobile Club of America.

WHITE SOX HERE TO FIGHT HARD

There was never a finer or healthier looking lot of ball players than the Chicago Americans, who arrived in town early this morning from their home city, and most of them retired for a nap before the game with Collins's team.

The visitors are all in good physical shape with the exception of "Doc" White, who has a sprained ankle, and Hub Hart, well known as a catcher in the Hub, who also has a bad ankle.

White is gradually rounding into shape again, and Manager Jones expects to use him either in the last game here or the first battle in New York. Hart was left behind.

Feels Great Strain.

Manager Jones of the Sox, to whose tireless efforts the Sox in a great measure owe their present position at the top of the ladder, is not feeling well. The tough strain of making an uphill fight for the lead and trying to hold the berth, has been a great strain on him, with the result that he has lost many pounds of flesh. However, his condition is not sufficient to deter him from playing.

Since they were last seen in this city the White Sox have acquired the services of a new catcher. He is Jay Towne, procured from Des Moines. He, with Billy Sullivan, do the back-stop work for the Chicagos these days.

The phenomenal fight of the Sox for the lead of the American League is now a matter of record. They went home in fourth place and left the Windy City at the top of the league. They made a showing that probably has never been duplicated in the American League, inasmuch as they won fifteen out of seventeen games, tied one and lost one to the Bostons.

Praises Hub Team.

Manager Jones of the Sox said to-day:

"The Boston Americans made the best showing of any of the teams in our city. They played great ball and gave us close calls in all the battles."

Manager Jones, who is a very unassuming fellow, refused to make any prediction as to the likely outcome of the pennant race.

Notes of the Harness Horses

John B. Doty, for several years superintendent of the Allen Farm, Pittsfield, Mass., is now located at Altoona, Pa.

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Scranton, Pa., horsemen are very much alive. Inside of three months they voted, bought a tract of land, built a new half-mile track, erected new stables and a commodious grandstand, and will have their initial meeting week after next with $500 and $1,000 purses.

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R. T. Birney, prominent to New England horsemen through the days when he was driving Prince Alert, 1:59¼, has returned to Wilkesbarre, Pa., his old home, and is running a public training stable.

Will Be Sure, the pacing stallion that was shipped from the Provinces last Winter to the Taunton reinsman, Lester Dore, to be campaigned by him this season, but was sold in the meantime to other parties in the Provinces and returned, pulled off a good race down there recently, gaining a reduced record of 2:16¼.

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Griffin, the turf authority, says that it is a mistake the turf reporters have made in calling Ed Geers's winner of the C. and C. stake, Ardelle, 2:08¼, as having tied the "green" mare record made by China Maid in 1904. Before that race Ardelle had a record of 2:12¾, so could have no claim of being green.

Gans, Discussing Nelson Battle, Says He

LOOKS FOR SHORT BOUTS

By Boston American Leased Wire

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Aug. 15.—Nelson and Gans are gradually taking up their work. Autos are running to and from both training quarters, and it would be an easy job for each man to keep busy all day to attend to visitors. Nelson did not intend to go out to his quarters until Thursday, but the crowd that surrounded him all the time forced him to give up the idea of staying in town any longer.

The work of building the arena will begin to-day. The lumber is on hand, and Billy Nolan has put in most of the day getting plans in shape and explaining them to the man who has the contract. Tex Rickard was laid up yesterday with a bad cold, and Nolan is bossing the job of arranging the fight.

L. a Houseman of Chicago made an offer to-day for the fight pictures, guaranteeing $20,000 for the right to exhibit them in certain States providing they are as good as those of the Nelson-Britt fight.

L. M. Sullivan will be the master of ceremonies at the fight. He is the president of the local trust company and is handling the picture end and puts up the Gans forfeit money.

Nelson's Easy Day.

Nelson put in another easy day. He went to the Crystal baths, where he put in the greater part of the day swimming and working with an exerciser. The Battler is a great diver and takes to water like a fish. Jack Clifford was with him, and the two did a few light stunts in the bath and out on the hills. He now trips at 135 and does not look that heavy. He says he is in good shape right now and is eating little and drinking nothing but mineral water. The rays of the sun do not seem to bother him.

Nelson went out to the grounds and took a look at the place where the fight is to be held. The canopy of Nevada sunshine that hung over the spot left no doubt in his mind it would be warm enough. He will be ready for active training on Thursday. It will take a day to put up his apparatus and get himself rigged up comfortably.

"Maud" as an Alarm Clock.

The musical hee-haw of the burro is used by Gans as an alarm clock. One of these meek little quadrupeds boards next door to the Baltimore orange and every morning at 5 o'clock he sings his matin hymn. The way he does it is not much for melody, but for ear-piercing persistency and endurance beats an alarm clock to a standstill.

Gans has not missed being up at 6 o'clock since he moved next door to the burro, and Frank McDonald says that in all his experience with Gans this is the first time on record that he has not had to pull the fighter out of bed in the morning.

Gans is about as cheerful as it is possible to be and his stories are in sight most of the time. After the first day's work Gans scaled 135½ pounds stripped. He has felt no ill effects of the altitude and thinks he will be down to weight any time it is necessary. He says he could enter the ring in two days at the required weight, but he would not be in fighting condition.

Looks for Short Fight.

Gans's wind would not stand a long go at this weight now, but most of his work will be of the endurance stunt. He looks for a short fight, but is going to be ready for a long trip to the finish.

Gans wants it understood that he would not object to either Eddie Graney or Bat Masterson for referee. Anybody the club selects, he thinks, will suit him, and either Graney or Masterson will do for him. There is some chance that Graney will be the man.

Transportation has been sent to Bobby Lundy at Seattle to fight ten rounds with Jack Clifford, at 136 pounds ringside, as a preliminary to the Nelson-Gans bout, for a $1,000 purse.

TINY YACHTS MEET IN TRIO RACES TO-DAY

MARBLEHEAD, Aug. 15.—A good breeze favored the boats for the third trial race for the Roosevelt cup.

After the conference last night between Vice-Commodore Clark and many of the owners of the Sonder Klasse boats it was decided to change the program, starting to-day and continuing Thursday and Friday and possibly Saturday, and to have two races daily, one starting at 11 o'clock and the other immediately after the other is finished. Instead of being six miles to windward and return, the course has been shortened to three miles and return, and the distance of the triangular leg has been reduced from five to three, so that the total distance of the triangular race will be nine miles instead of fifteen miles. The start will be from Halfway Rock.

This will make a total of eight races instead of four, which was originally agreed upon. The new programme is very satisfactory to all of the owners, and was strongly advocated by those owning New York designed boats.

The Cod, sailed by Dr. Morton Prince, designed by B. B. Crowninshield, won the second trial race for the American Sonderklasse boats yesterday over the twelve mile course off the entrance to Salem Bay. The Caramba designed by E. A. Bordman and sailed by her owner, C. H. W. Foster, was second and the Chewink VI. of Herreshoff design and sailed by her owner, F. G. Macomber, Jr., was third.

MIKE TWIN IN FIGHT TO-NIGHT IN DENVER

Mike Twin Sullivan always feels like writing home on the eve of his battles, and he writes the sporting editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN that he has it on Rube Smith to-night at Denver, though the latter is a big, strong fellow and wants to win badly, as the winner will be matched with Joe Gans. Johnnie Coyne is willing to offer a $5,000 purse for the bout.

Mike wants one more crack at the colored wonder to settle the title to the welterweight division.

Twin has a few matches in sight for the future. He meets Jack Doherty on Labor Day at Butte, and the Pueblo (Col.) club wants him to meet Jimmy Gardner, also George Herberts.

He says that Brother Jack Twin has gone north to fight, and on his way back to the coast Morris Levy will try to get him a chance with Sam Berger in a twenty-round contest. Mike is willing to post $1,000 that no white man in the world can stop Jack in twenty rounds.

OLDFIELD UNDEFEATED.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Aug. 15.—Barney Oldfield defeated Eddie Bald in two straight heats here yesterday in the two-mile feature event of the auto races. The time of the heats was 2:49½ and 2:59. Oldfield drove an exhibition mile in 1:16. Howard Gill drove a 24-horsepower Stevens-Duryea against Oldfield 2½ miles, and Oldfield won in 4:35½.

SANDY TO BOX 'LITTLE ARTHUR'

The sports of Rhode Island will see one of the best bouts that has taken place in that section of New England Thursday night when Sandy Ferguson and Jack Johnson will meet in a heavyweight battle at the Standard A. C. at Lymansville, near Providence.

The men have signed to meet for a fifteen-round bout, and as both have had a long lay-off from the ring, are anxious to get in harness again, and have been training in expectation of being carded at the big Hub club.

The last time the pair met it was a furious encounter, till Sandy fouled the colored champion, and the coming mill promises to be more terrific, as Johnson will use all his speed from the first gong and try to get to Sandy quick to even up the old score.

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Dolan, r.f.	Sheehan, 3b.
Needham, c.	Ritchey, 2b.
Goode, l.f.	Phelps, c.
Doran, p.	Leifield, p.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	75	30	.714
New York	66	35	.653
Pittsburg	64	39	.621
Philadelphia	49	55	.471
Cincinnati	45	60	.429
Brooklyn	41	60	.406
St. Louis	39	67	.368
BOSTON	36	69	.343

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 4; Boston, 0.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

BOSTON at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 15.—The Pirates saw more gifts for them when they lined up with the Hub tailenders for a brace of games, and the fans prepared to enjoy the feast.

Captain Clarke was undecided whether it would be safe to make it thirteen wins by copping the double-header, as it might bring him bad luck in the run for the pennant, so he told his crew not to be anxious to swamp the visitors unless they insisted in presenting a double defeat.

Tenney, never willing to acknowledge being downed, kept his phantom chasers hard at work in spite of the odds they were up against.

FIVE RACES AT READVILLE

With all the members of the Boston Gentlemen's Driving Club actively engaged in preparing their horses for the grand intercity matinee, September 5 and 6, the five events on the programme at Readville this afternoon should result in exciting contests. Following are the entries:

Class A, trotting—Mrs. Jack, b. m., A. C. Haley; Una Wilkes, blk. m., F. G. Hall; Dolly Gray, ro. m., Charles Sanders; Regal Duret, b. g., G. A. Graves.

Class B, trotting—Remsen Robinson, b. g., Is. R. Peck; Graphic, br. g., G. A. Litchfield; King Clay, gr. g., P. B. Bradley; Poncetta, gr. m., G. F. Leonard.

Class C, trotting—Dash, b. g., C. H. Belloden; Silver Glow, g. g., Charles Sanders; Peter B., gr. g., P. B. Bradley.

Class D, trotting—Crone Belle, b. m., G. F. Leonard; Robert Mac, b. g., G. W. Marks; Lord Roberts, b. h., J. M. Johnson.

Class E, trotting—The Keepsake, b. m., G. A. Graves; Red Cliffe, ch. g., A. S. Bigelow; Miss Stoke, br. m., F. G. Hall; Osceola, b. h., Charles Sanders; American Law, b. h., J. F. Howland.

COTHATO GOES IN FAST TIME

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 15.—The two-year-old colt Cothato, the $10,000 futurity candidate at Readville next week, did some fine working yesterday. He covered the mile in 2:12½; half, 1:05; third quarter, 32½; last eighth, 16 seconds. He is to meet Gay Bingin, 2:12½, Ed Custer, 2:16¾, and the pick of a star field.

JIMMY BRIGGS REFUSES BOUT

Jimmy Briggs, through Manager Steve Mahoney, received an offer to-day from Grand Rapids to box Harry Lewis of Philadelphia on August 22, but the Chelsea man had to refuse it as the date would not give him time to train, considering that Lewis is such a tough one.

CHANCE FOR FITZ.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15.—Bob Fitzsimmons can have a battle if he wants one. Al Kaufman, the California heavyweight, is willing to take him on in a twenty-round bout and claims he will sign just as soon as any club comes forward with an offer that will suit him. "I know I can beat Fitz and I am sure I can stop him quicker than it took Jack O'Brien to put the old man away," said Kaufman when informed that Fitzsimmons was willing to fight Sam Berger. Kaufman and Fitzsimmons would draw a big crowd in San Francisco or at Los Angeles.

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WHO WILL WIN THIS BEAUTIFUL DOLL'S HOUSE?

If You Think You Know How to Keep House Well, Write and Try to Win the Big Doll House

DO you want to win the beautiful doll house?

Of course you do, for there is not a little girl in the world, no matter how many toys she may have, who would not be delighted to own Happy House and the dear Happy family.

Well, the way to go about it is to write and tell the Doll House Editor how you would keep house if you had a real house of your own.

You all know how hard your mothers work to keep the house comfortable and to make you happy.

You can learn a great deal by watching them and helping wherever you get a chance.

Every little girl can learn how to dust a room and to pick up things lying about.

And she can learn how to wipe the dishes and put them away.

She can help take care of baby brother or sister so that her mother can get a little rest.

The more she learns now the better she will know how to attend to her own house and babies when she grows up.

The Doll House Editor is very anxious to know just how much you all know about keeping a house neat and making others happy.

The reason he wants to know is so that he will be able to pick out the right girl to send the lovely doll house to.

So send in your letters and tell just exactly what you would do.

Tell how you would keep house and how you would take care of your children.

Be very careful to follow the instructions. Many little girls' letters are not printed because they do not give their right names and addresses.

Other anxious misses write very nice letters, but they write on both sides of the sheet, and, of course, their letters are never published.

Address your letters to the Doll House Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

BE CAREFUL NOT TO STUMBLE OVER THE ROCKS IN THE WAY, AND THE DOLL HOUSE MAY BE YOURS

How to Win the Doll's House

HOW would you keep house?

How would you treat your children?

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Write only on one side of the paper.

Do not write more than one hundred words.

Give age, name and address in full, and write plainly.

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Letters From Girls Who Are Trying Hard to Win

EVERY day there will be printed some letters from girls who tell how to keep house. Remember, the best letter wins the doll house, and all its furnishings, dolls and all.

Here are some letters from yesterday's mails; see if you can tell how to keep house better than any of them:

A LITTLE MOTHER

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I were a mother I would keep my children neat and clean. When I got up in the morning I would air the beds, then I would dress the children and get breakfast. I would then do the dishes, take baby to market, buy the dinner, give the baby a nap and then get dinner. In the afternoon I would give the baby another nap, dress him up and then go visiting. I would teach my children to mind me, and I should see that they ate good, wholesome food, so they would always be well. I should also teach them to be saving.

MARIAN BLATCHFORD, 9 years.
No. 31 Snow avenue, Brockton.

CARE OF BABY

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

This is how I would start the day. I would air the rooms and then give baby his bath, then give him his breakfast and clean him up. Of course, I would give him the best of care. Then I would let him out in the air while I did my work, making the beds and sweeping. Then I would get dressed and take him to the store for the things. After supper I would do the dishes and then put baby to bed, so he would be up early next day.

CATHERINE HAYDEN 12 years.
No. 163 Emerald street, Malden.

REPAIR CLOTHES

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

In the morning, first I would wash and dress my children for breakfast, and air the beds. After breakfast, I would put the soiled dishes in the sink, and wash them. Then, I would tidy my rooms, air, and dust them. Next, I would take my children out and give them the fresh air. When I come in I would give them a nap.

I would always keep our clothes in repair, and have certain days for my work.

RUTH M. FURBUSH, 10 years.
Graniteville.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I owned this pretty doll's house I would keep it neat and clean; I would sweep with my carpet sweeper; I would scrub and sweep in my kitchen with my brushes and broom; I would clean and rake my yard, and plan a pretty flower garden; I would take good care of my babies and take them for a walk; I would cook nice things for the family on my stove and I would love to shine my stove and set my table; I would give my darling babies the best of care; I would take good care of the furniture.

ELIZABETH FOSTER, 13 years.
No 110 South Main street, Randolph.

WOULD LIKE PLANTS

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I had your lovely doll house, I would keep it tidy from top to bottom, have a system of housekeeping, every day having its own work. If I had children I should teach them obedience, politeness and honesty. I also would give them the best food I could afford, and the best vegetables, would put up preserves in different seasons, as they are much more wholesome than canned goods. I should see that my children attend their church duties. I would like to have plants growing throughout the house.

DOROTHEA BURKE, 10 years.
No. 67 Devens street, Marlboro, Mass.

WOULD NEED MONEY

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

I am a little girl eleven years old, and this is the way I should try to keep house when I am grown up. First I would have a nice husband and three children, a nice home, servants, horses. Pleasant afternoons I would take my children for a drive in the park, and meet their papa. I would like to have a doll house like the "Happy" one, so I could learn to be a good housewife.

GRACE M. GERMAN
No. 1032 Warren avenue, Campello, Mass.

BOYS CAN'T SMOKE

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I were a housekeeper I would keep my house neat and clean. I would take good care of my children. If I had boys I would not let them smoke, chew, drink or anything like that. I would make my girls wash dishes and help me. I should bring them up to mind me. I would get up early in the morning, build the fire, get breakfast and get them ready for school. I would do my own marketing and save a little money each week.

ETHEL MORSE, 8 years.
No. 157 Prospect street, Brockton.

ALL HER PLAYMATES

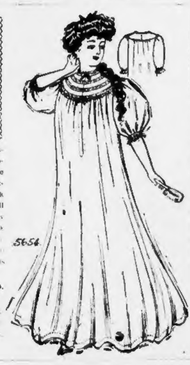
DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I only could get that doll house, I would take good care of it. I would have all my playmates to help me out. I would have Marion Pickles, my private secretary; Anna Sullivan, housekeeper; Helen Roberts, nurse; Catherine Pickles, chambermaid; my brother Joseph, butler; Freeman, my brother, gardener; Josephine Lock, cook. You can rest assured if you send it along we will take good care of it.

MARY KENNEDY, 10 years,
No. 124 West Emerson street, Melrose.

Hearst's Boston American Pattern

A Round Yoke Night Dress



No. 5,654. Daintiness characterizes this pretty design for a nightgown, shown in a development of cambric, with yoke made of alternate bands of insertion and the material. The pattern provides for low round neck, if high neck is not desired, and the sleeves may be full length or terminate at the elbow, finished by narrow bands. Cambric, longcloth and nainsook are all adaptable, and Swiss embroidery, Valenciennes lace and ribbon-run beading are all used in the decoration. For 36-inch bust, 5½ yards of 36-inch material will be required.

No. 5,654—Sizes for 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure.

To obtain this pattern, postpaid, send 10 cents, with size, name and address, to HEARST BOSTON AMERICAN PATTERN DEPT., P. O. Box 230, Boston, Mass.

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Well-Groomed Women Must Give Constant Attention to Their Hair

Daily Care Is Required to Keep It In Healthy and Flourishing Condition

THERE is absolutely nothing that adds to or detracts from the well-groomed appearance of a woman as does her hair. To make it look its best it must be in a perfectly healthy condition and be cared for daily.

As a rule, it is the owner's fault if it is not all that it should be. If it looks dull, grows thin and the scalp has too much dandruff, these difficulties should at once be met, not by using the first advertised remedy that the eye may light on, but with some knowledge of the individual constitutions, and what best suits the hair.

People cannot be quite ignorant on these points; if they are, they should take good advice.

We know how dirty our faces and hands become; the same causes are acting on the hair, only it does not show the result in the same way, and when the general health is good we the more easily repulse germs, so we should keep our health and our hair strong; unless this is so the hairs that come out will not satisfactorily be replaced.

Healthy Hairs

Healthy hairs should be continually coming on. The roots must be kept free from obstructions by the outward application of some health-giving cleansing lotion, and the scalp should be washed at stated intervals with soap and water, but it must be a pure, good soap.

After rubbing the scalp and roots of the hair thoroughly, and as much as you like, dry the hair itself, especially if it is very thick, carefully; otherwise you may pull the hairs and rub them out.

The treatment of the hair is simple enough; brush it well night and morning, keep it and the scalp scrupulously clean, use only clean brushes and combs, always have a special soap for washing and a special wash that suits you best for rubbing into the roots at least once a week. When the hair is not strong this should be done three times a week.

Best Lotions

In seeking advice find the lotions likely best to suit the hair. Happily for us, the treatment of tresses by specialists now is founded on hygienic lines. Knowledge of the human body, the skin, the circulation, and the rest is not confined to the doctors; in our day the knowledge is more extended.

A good deal of harm is done by tying the hair too tightly at night and as much as possible a woman's hair should be left free and unconstrained.

It is not necessary to submit to gray hairs without a struggle. By judicious treatment the coloring fluid can be made once more to assert its power. The folly of trying various remedies for baldness or gray hair cannot be too strongly urged; use nothing without advice, and keep to that one treatment—at all events persevere and give it a fair trial, but do not devote a great deal of attention to the subject for a few weeks and then forget all about it and neglect it for a long time. Persistent effort in this as in other things is all important.

HOW TO BE BEAUTIFUL

By the Professor

A REFRESHING ODOR

TO obtain a lasting and refreshing odor of sweet violets, put half an ounce of orris root, broken in small pieces, in a bottle with two ounces of alcohol; cork it tight and shake well; then leave four or five days.

FOR NERVOUSNESS

DEAR PROFESSOR:

Will you please give me some simple remedy for nervousness?

M. C. V. P.

NERVOUSNESS is not a disease, but simply a symptom of one. Beyond the ordinary counsel of taking as much fresh air as possible, banishing all worry, taking plenty of exercise even to fatigue, sponge baths daily and a regular diet, I should not attempt to advise you. If these precautions do not relieve you, go to a physician and have him find out the cause and treat you accordingly. Then your nervousness will cease.

EVILS OF POWDER

POWDER must not be used in any quantity to hide spots on the face, as it dries and clogs up the pores, thus preventing a healthy action of the skin. Another reason why girls should abstain from an excessive use of powder is that they must suffer sooner or later from this temporary bloom. Powder soon wrinkles and destroys the texture of any skin—a destruction which is permanent.

"SHADOWS OF NEW YORK"

CHAPTER LXXXVIII.—Continued

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"THOUGHT so," said the countryman. Now you can get." As Jim stood watching by the cart, he saw the carter raise his foot suddenly and heard a howl from the hawker; he felt avenged. That boot would hurt.

"Here's your quarter, my lad," said the carter, returning to Jim with a smile on his stolid features. "Where are you bound to? Like a lift? Going uptown myself."

Jim accepted the offer gratefully and climbed up by the side of the driver, hoping that his new acquaintance would not be so curious as the pedler as to why he was out so early, or suspect that he was running away from home.

A Fragrant Ride

But, once on the seat, the driver seemed to grow somnolent again. He did put the question to Jim, where was he going, soon after daybreak, but was evidently so little interested in the reply that he seemed to fall into a momentary doze before Jim could speak.

The covered-in cart was a veritable bower of sweet-smelling flowers; great trays of roses and fresh-cut Summer blooms were stacked up behind them, diffusing their fragrance. They proceeded at a leisurely pace the horses appearing to know the route without any effort on the part of the driver, who held the reins loosely and dozed through the greater part of the journey.

They passed the ped'er on the road; he scowled and shook his fist at them as they went by—all wasted on his old antagonist, who happened to be dozing.

Through deserted streets the cart rambled along, leaving a fragrance in the air as it passed.

Jim bade good-by to his friend at Forty-second street and plodded on.

"Well, I'm blessed—if it isn't the kid!" a familiar voice broken in upon Jim's thoughts, and he turned with a start.

Just behind him was Mr. Jarman, the Farmer's "friend from the country," whom he had left last night in Daddy Rumfit's back parlor.

Jim turned cold with apprehension. This time he was caught.

"Here, none of that," said Jarman. "You can't get away, my lad; no good trying."

Jim stood pale, speechless, trembling.

"Look here, youngster, you needn't be in such a funk. I stood up for you last night against the Farmer, didn't I? Well, then, what are you afraid of? I'm not going to hurt you—I never hurt kids. You can take that straight."

Jim glanced at his face, then took courage. Jarman's face was good-humored, and the man had protected him last night.

Pleasant for Parslow.

"Come, what are you afraid of? Think I should take you back to old Rumfit's, where you've run away from? Too much trouble, my lad!" he laughed.

"Mr. Parslow would enjoy it, I expect. And mention of him brings me up to a little trick you played on us all last night."

Jim shivered. He thought of that "Another little bit of glass!"

"You ran off with that diamond, my lad. Very neatly, too. But after my trouble in getting hold of it I can't afford to be generous and say you may keep it to play marbles with. So just hand it over."

Jim looked up at him desperately. What if Jarman would not believe his story? Would he find him so amiable and pleasant then?

"I—I haven't got it, sir," he faltered.

"Haven't got it?" Jarman's voice took a sharper ring. "But you took it last night."

"Yes, sir, but—but Mr. Parslow took it from me."

Jarman looked at the boy sharply. "Mr. Parslow took it from you? You are speaking the truth?"

"Tellin' you the truth, darned if I ain't, sir!" protested Jim emphatically. "It was a few minutes after he left Rumfit's."

An odd expression came in Jarman's face.

"Oh, he did, eh? Curious he shouldn't have come back with it to his partners," he remarked. "Let's have the the whole story. I begin to like this Mr. Parslow!"

CHAPTER LXXXIX.

Talk About a Stiletto.

"SO Mr. Parslow recovered the diamond, did he? I'm beginning to be interested in Mr. Parslow," said Jarman, drily. "Suppose you tell me the whole story."

So Jim told him of his encounter with the two men and the string of questions, interrupted by Mr. Parslow's arrival on the scene; how Mr. Parslow had tapped his pockets, and then presumably felt the diamond in his cap.

"I see. Nice old cup of tea—didn't want to burden his partners with a share in the responsibility of owning the 'Mirror of the Moon,' and decided to keep it for himself. A very nice old party indeed, Mr. Parslow!" said Jarman, meditatively, a slowly kindling anger manifest in his face and voice.

Jim's story carried with it to his mind the impress of truth. What he knew of Parslow's movements fitted in with the related circumstances in point of time.

Very shortly after the discovery that the diamond was missing, and the boy's message at the bottom of the box was read, the white-haired gentleman from Bensonhurst had stamped off out of the house in a towering rage, had then come upon Jim in the clutches of the man, who Jarman had no difficulty in deciding was the man Bongelstein.

A Bit of Luck

Parslow had recovered the diamond and had made up his mind to stick to it without acquainting his partners of his luck. No other explanation was possible, or the old receiver, being, as he was, within a few hundred yards of Rumfit's shop, would have gone back to tell his partners there the news.

But he had not gone back, Jarman knew, for, after helping Marr and Rumfit in a fruitless search in the neighborhood for the fugitive boy, he had stayed talking in Rumfit's back parlor until after 2 o'clock in the morning.

"It seems it was a bit of luck when I thought I'd take a walk instead of going home to sleep on my disappointment," said Jarman. "So Mr. Parslow annexed the sparkler after all?—artless old gent, too, he seemed; interested in early artichokes and beetroots, I've been given to understand. Shouldn't wonder if, by the time he's done with Marr and myself, he'll wish he'd stuck to that line of business too!"

Jim could detect the rising vindictive resentment in Jarman's tones; the slow-kindling anger of this man usually so good-humored seemed to indicate that when roused he would be doubly dangerous; Jim felt he would not care to stand in Mr. Parslow's shoes. Oddly enough—and much to Jim's secret thankfulness—none of Jarman's wrath appeared to be directed against the boy. He said:

"Well, you served us an awkward trick and let us in for no end of trouble—lucky for you it's me and not Marr you've run up against! But I don't know if I wouldn't have done the same myself in your place, to score off the Farmer. He's bullied you before, I take it? Thought so. It would have served him right to have lost the sparkler altogether. Do you care about a mouthful of breakfast?" he added suddenly.

"Rather!" responded Jim, with alacrity. The early morning drive had given him a tremendous appetite.

A Confession

"We shall have to makeshift at a stand," he said.

To Jim the makeshift represented the height of luxury. What could be more inviting? Mr. Jarman was very hospitable. He urged Jim to make a good breakfast, and the boy allowed no false modesty to prevent him doing so. He wondered when he had enjoyed a meal so much as that cup of thick, scalding coffee and the sandwiches and cake.

"Why, it's like a picnic, darned if it ain't!" was his verdict, spoken indistinctly through a mouthful of cake full of stalky currants.

"Now we'll just walk to a quieter spot where we can talk," said Jarman, when Jim had regretfully decided that another piece of "seedy" cake was beyond even his powers. "I've got one or two things to say yet."

They walked toward the Strand.

"First of all, about that girl, Olga Vail as a matter of fact, it was you, wasn't it, who helped her to get away from Rumfit's den that night, and who let that chap in, pretending he was the Farmer's friend, eh? You may as well admit it, my lad," added Jarman, not unkindly.

"Y-yes," said Jim, nervously.

TO BE CONTINUED.

ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

DO NOT ELOPE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Several years ago a young man who was staying at our home in the country saved both my sister and myself from death from our burning house, being himself badly hurt in doing the same. I love him with all my heart, but my parents are absolutely opposed to my marrying him because they say another young man who calls is much more desirable because he has more money, although the one I love earns $20 a week. Shall I elope, or what? As I greatly fear that I shall lose the right one by delaying, for he intends to go West if I do not act soon.

IN TROUBLE.

NO, do not elope, but go to your parents and tell them that you can never care for any other man than this, and that you know he will make a good husband. If they see that you are firm I think they will relent.

BETTER GIVE HER UP

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I have been acquainted with a young lady for about three years, and called on her quite often. But lately every time I call she is out. So last week I wrote her a letter asking if she would be at home Thursday evening, as I desired to call.

She did not answer my letter, and I have not heard a word from her since. Would you please advise me what to do in this matter, as I would not want to give her up altogether, as I think a great deal of her.

LOVELORN.

IF I were you, I think I would give up going to see the girl. If she cared to see you she most certainly would have answered your letter. Perhaps if you gave up trying to see her for a while it might stimulate her interest in you. A little wholesome neglect sometimes works wonders.

DOUBLE YOUR ATTENTION

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young man, twenty-five years old, and am in love with a young lady about the same age. She is now away for the Summer. During my vacation I have visited her, and she treated me very coolly; also showing much attention to another young man. Kindly inform me what I can do to gain her affection back, as I love her better than life.

J. B.

YOU can try either one of two courses; double your attentions or treat her with a little neglect. Try first one and then the other. If she is really interested in the other man you had better give her up, but she probably is only having a flirtation with him.

By Beatrice Fairfax

She Warns Young Girls Against the Follies and Miseries That Follow Most Runaway Marriages

By Beatrice Fairfax

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Eight years ago I foolishly contracted a runaway marriage with a man who was in every way my inferior, morally, and after a year of misery I regretted the step I had taken.

After a separation of three years I procured a divorce, and a year later married an elderly gentleman of means. During all the time of my second marriage I heard nothing from my previous husband and I was very happy.

Six months ago my second husband died and left me a small fortune, nicely invested, so I can live well on the interest. I have no children, and should I remain single my money would be inherited by a friend of mine, who has stood by me through all my trouble.

Now, my first husband, hearing I have an independent income, is trying by all means to marry me. He tells people all sorts of falsehoods about me. He so hopes to humiliate me.

Needless to say, everything he says about me is false, and can be proven false. Still I am so sick on account of this talk that I don't know what to do.

DISTRESSED.

THE above sad little story speaks for itself.

If only girls could be taught to see the folly of runaway marriages what a blessing it would be.

There is always something wrong about the love affair that has to be kept a secret from the girl's parents.

But so often a foolish little girl is much more ready to believe in the man she has only known for a month than the mother who has watched over her all her life.

She never stops to consider that if the man were honorable and above board he would go straight to her parents like a man and ask for her.

Filled with a foolish idea of romance, she listens to his smooth pleading and plunges headlong into matrimony.

Matrimony more than anything else in the world needs thought and deliberation, and the girl who elopes gives less thought to it than she would to buying a new hat.

For one moment's impetuosity she runs the risk of paying a lifetime of regret.

If a man is enough in love with you to want to marry you he is enough in love to woo and win you in the honorable, prescribed way.

The moment he counsels you to keep his attentions a secret from your parents is the minute for you to begin to doubt him.

A young, unsophisticated girl has no means of learning much about a man's life and character nor of judging him properly, no matter what she may know.

She may be too lenient, she may not be lenient enough.

If her parents seriously object to a man she at least should wait until their objections are verified or found to be groundless. It stands to reason that they, with their superior knowledge of the world, should know more of human nature than she.

The woman who writes the letter quoted above has suffered and learned a bitter lesson. Her story should be a warning to every girl who reads it.

The only thing for her to do is to ignore the man who is trying to make life miserable for her a second time, and, if he persists in his persecutions, to consult a lawyer. It is not likely that she will listen to his pleadings a second time.

But I hope, dear girls, that you will profit by her experiences, and unless a man woos you honorably and honestly send him about his business.

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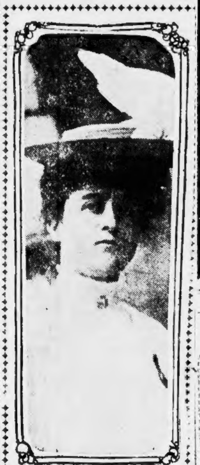
Identify the Photograph of a Woman Shopper and You Win a Reward of $2.

HERE'S a snapshot of a busy Boston woman shopper caught by the Camera Man yesterday morning in the vicinity of some store patronized by readers of this newspaper. He takes one of these pictures every day, and a reproduction appears on the day following.

Do you know the original of this photo? If you do, tell her she can have $2 as a reward upon identifying the picture. The money is awaiting her at the BOSTON AMERICAN office. If she does not care to call, she can send her photograph to the Shopping Prize Editor, and a check will be mailed to her address.

Watch for your own picture. It may appear any day. Watch out for the Camera man when you go shopping. He may get you to-morrow or next day.



FAIRIES PLAY AT MONPONSETT

The Monponsett Fairies will give a performance at the hotel pavilion, Monponsett, Saturday, August 18, at 3 p. m. There are about thirty misses in the cast, whose ages range from four years to twenty years. The programme includes "The District School" and "The Teacher's Dream." The participants will be Emmy Duffy, Marjorie Hickson, Mary Hayes, Marie McMorrow, Ruth Cohen, Sadie Kennedy, Julia Morse, Helen Kennedy, Gladys Lally, Florence Lally, Alice Weeks, Mildred White, Marie Dwyer, Millie McMorrow, Hester Klein, Marion Waite, Charlotte Tougas, Marion McNary, Willie McNary, Millie Ross, Lilla Morse, Raymond Cosgrove, Bessie Gitto and Frances Gitto. The teacher of the school is May Cosgrove.

$1,000,000 PORTO RICAN LOAN.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Aug. 15.—Auditor George Cabot Ward has sailed for New York to negotiate a $1,000,000 bond sale for the government of Porto Rico.

DEATH NOTICES.

BLAIR—In this city, Aug. 12, Jane, widow of William T. Blair.
Funeral from her late residence, 40 North Anderson st., Wednesday afternoon at 1.30. Services at St. Andrew's Church, Chambers st., at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mt. Hope.

BRADLEY—At the Massachusetts General Hospital, John J., beloved son of Daniel and Margaret Bradley (nee Connolly).
Funeral from parents' home, 60 Winter st., East Cambridge, Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 2 p. m.

CAREY—In Roxbury, Aug. 13, Theresa, beloved child of Walter L. and Elizabeth A. Carey, 3 yrs., 2 mos., 10 ds.
Funeral from parents' residence, 179 Vernon st., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend.

CONLEY—In South Boston, Aug. 14, Margaret, infant daughter of Mary and the late Bartholomew Conley.
Funeral from her parents' residence, 105 West 6th st., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DUNN—In South Boston, Aug. 14, Margaret, beloved daughter of James and Mary F. Dunn, 11 mos., 5 ds.
Funeral from parents' residence, 718 East 2d st., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Waltham papers please copy. Interment at Calvary cemetery, Waltham.

KIERNAN—In Dorchester, Aug. 13, Mary, widow of William Kiernan, formerly of 127 Leverett st., West End.
Funeral from the residence of her son, Michael Kiernan, 1 Oak terrace, off Birch st., Thursday, Aug. 16, at 8.30 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Matthew's chapel, Norfolk st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

LITTLEFIELD—In Chelsea, Aug. 13, Horatio G. Littlefield, 66 yrs.
Funeral services at Post 26, G. A. R. hall, Vine st., Roxbury, Thursday, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

McCARTHY—In South Boston, Aug. 12, Ellen, wife of the late James McCarthy, 88 yrs. (of 145 Bolton st.)
Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Sweeney, 32 G st., Thursday, Aug. 16, at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass at St. Vincent's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

MAGUIRE—In South Boston, Aug. 13, Joseph, beloved son of James J. and Mary A. Maguire (nee Monaghan), 2 yrs. 15 ds.
Funeral from parents' residence, 181 5th st., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 2.30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

MALIFF—In South Boston, Aug. 12, Ann A., widow of Thomas Maliff.
Funeral from the residence of her son, Frank G. Maliff, 722½ 4th st., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 1 o'clock. Services at the Gate of Heaven Church at 1.30 p. m. Mass of requiem Thursday at 9 o'clock.

McCARTHY—In Roxbury, Aug. 12, Ellen, beloved widow of John McCarthy, formerly of the North End.
Funeral from her late residence, 902 Huntington av., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 8.30 a. m. Services at the house at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at the Mission Church, Thursday, Aug. 16, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Holy Cross cemetery.

PRENTISS—In Reading, Aug. 12, Donald Christie, son of Archer R. and Mabel (Thomas) Prentiss, 2 yrs., 2 mos., 6 ds.
Funeral services will be held at the residence of his parents, corner Berkeley and Tremont sts., Reading, Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends are requested to be present.

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CITY OF BOSTON, SANITARY DEPARTMENT.—Sealed proposals for the collection and removal of store-dirt, house-dirt and ashes in the North Dorchester District (as shown on the official map on file at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanitary Department) will be received at the said office of the Superintendent of the Sanitary Department until 12 m. of Tuesday, August 21, 1906, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Bidders must reside in or adjacent to this district. Specifications can be seen at the above office. The contract is to cover a term of one year, dependent on the proper appropriations from time to time by the city government, or unless a different system of collection is adopted. Each proposal must be accompanied by a properly certified check for One Hundred Dollars ($100.00), and a bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay union rates of wages, and the right to reject any or all proposals, should he deem it for the interest of the city so to do. DANIEL H. GILLESPIE, Superintendent of the Sanitary Department, Boston, Mass., Aug. 11, 1906.

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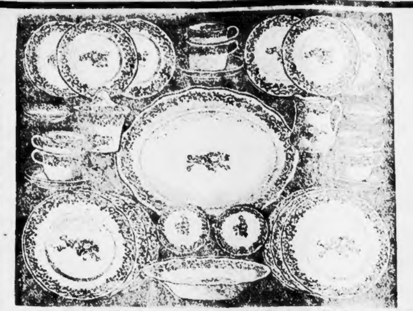

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Hitting the Fire Insurance Thieves

But a Little LATE. Their Entire SYSTEM Should End

Our readers know about the conduct of many fire insurance companies after the great San Francisco fire.

They had been taking millions in premiums very placidly for years.

But when the fire came, following the earthquake, **THESE SAME INSURANCE COMPANIES—WITH SOME HONORABLE EXCEPTIONS—CALMLY REFUSED TO PAY.**

One of the latest of the self-confessed swindling companies is the Trans-Atlantic Fire Insurance Company of Hamburg. This saintly company declines to pay any insurance on the ground that the California fire was "an act of Providence." The insurance company apparently is religiously disinclined to interfere with any **ACT OF PROVIDENCE.**

The pious gentlemen who run the company have decided—quite unselfishly, of course—that Providence intended to visit San Francisco vigorously, and that it would be almost blasphemous to interfere with the plans of Providence by paying over large sums to those whose houses were burned down.

If insurance policies were paid there would be no punishment. Providence would be thwarted. That would never do.

"We mustn't interfere with the will of Providence," says this religious insurance company, and refuses to pay.

There have been efforts to punish some of these swindling insurance companies. For instance, Samuel Davis, the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Nevada, has announced that his State will cancel all of its policies with the swindling companies, and demand a return of all premiums paid. Mr. Davis says further that his State will not allow any company to do business hereafter unless the company shall have paid up in full in San Francisco.

In Montana some action of the same kind has been taken.

Here in Boston, where we are rather inclined to sympathize with a thief if he is BIG enough, there has been some feeble discussion in newspapers—in this newspaper among others—and a little aimless talk. But nothing much has been done.

Nothing WILL be done **UNLESS THE ENTIRE PEOPLE TAKE A HAND AND EXPRESS THEIR OPINION IN VOTING.**

As long as you have a government, a Senate, a collection of officeholders openly or secretly sympathizing with the plundering schemes of corporations, **THOSE CORPORATIONS WILL GO ON WITH THEIR PLUNDERING.**

It is only natural for corruption to spread, whether it be among apples in a barrel, among individuals, or among insurance companies.

In a country where an insurance company can take in millions in premiums, as one company did in Chicago, and then refuse to pay San Francisco losses, although those losses amounted to far less than the premiums taken in, there will always be found thieves to go into that kind of business.

The American people should follow in this as in many other matters the excellent example of New Zealand.

The people should realize that the inhabitants of this country give to the insurance companies every year **ONE HUNDRED MILLIONS OF DOLLARS MORE THAN THE COMPANIES PAY FOR LOSSES.**

In other words, the people give outright to the companies every year **ONE HUNDRED MILLION MORE THAN THEY GET BACK.**

We make a fuss about digging a Panama Canal—we are not doing it yet, by the way—and yet, without a murmur, we give to insurance people enough money in two years to build the canal.

The city of New York cries and weeps **BECAUSE IT CANNOT AFFORD TO BUILD SCHOOLHOUSES FOR THE CHILDREN.**

And it gives every year to insurance companies over and above what it gets back enough to provide the schools that it "cannot afford."

In New Zealand the people run their own insurance departments—a natural, sensible plan. They do not forbid private companies to do business if they wish, and private companies do exist in New Zealand and work at a profit in competition with the government.

BUT YOU NEEDN'T SUPPOSE FOR A MOMENT THAT ANY SWINDLING, WELCHING FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY COULD LIVE OUT THERE FOR A WEEK.

THE GOVERNMENT, OF COURSE, NEVER FAILS TO PAY WHAT IT HONESTLY OWES. Government fire insurance, like the government savings banks, **CANNOT** go into bankruptcy. The people **KNOW** that.

It would be a perfectly simple thing for the nation, the State or the municipality to combine fire insurance with taxation.

And, incidentally, it might be a very good way to get at **THE TAX-DODGERS.** If a man's house were insured by the government for the sum on which he pays taxes, he would be pretty careful about paying taxes **FULLY.**

If you question those who are selfishly interested they will tell you promptly that it would be "paternalism" or "socialism" for the government to go into insurance.

Why is it any more socialistic to let the government insure property in return for payment by citizens **THAN TO LET THE GOVERNMENT KEEP UP A FIRE DEPARTMENT?**

If the city government can spend its money and organize a force to keep buildings from burning down, and to save lives that are in danger, **WHY HASN'T IT A RIGHT TO ORGANIZE A FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT TO INSURE THE CITIZEN AGAINST LOSS OF HIS PROPERTY AS WELL AS AGAINST THE LOSS OF HIS LIFE?**

The trouble is, fellow-citizens, that government is managed by the gentlemen who want to exploit the great crowd. **THEY** say what the government shall do, and shall not do.

And they say especially **THAT THE GOVERNMENT SHALL NOT INTERFERE WITH THEIR PLANS OF PUBLIC ROBBERY, WHETHER IT BE THROUGH LIFE INSURANCE, FIRE INSURANCE, EXPLOITATION OF MONOPOLIES OR OTHERWISE.**

How long are you going to **STAND** this? When are you people going to vote **INDEPENDENTLY** for yourselves, and organize a government with the idea that it shall work to protect **YOU** and not to promote the welfare of men that have enough and too much already?

THE BOSTON AMERICAN would like to hear from readers of the paper. We want your ideas. Write a letter occasionally on some current event that interests you. If you see something in the paper that displeases you, let us know about it. If you see something you especially like, tell us, and express your idea upon it. Letters should be short—not over 250 words—written on one side of the sheet.

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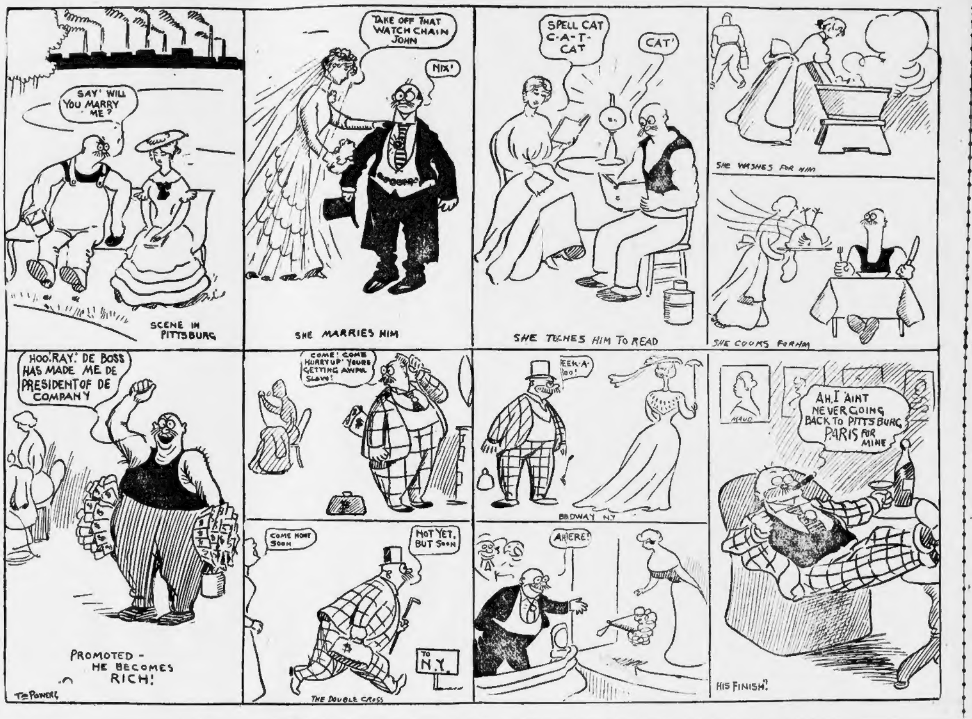

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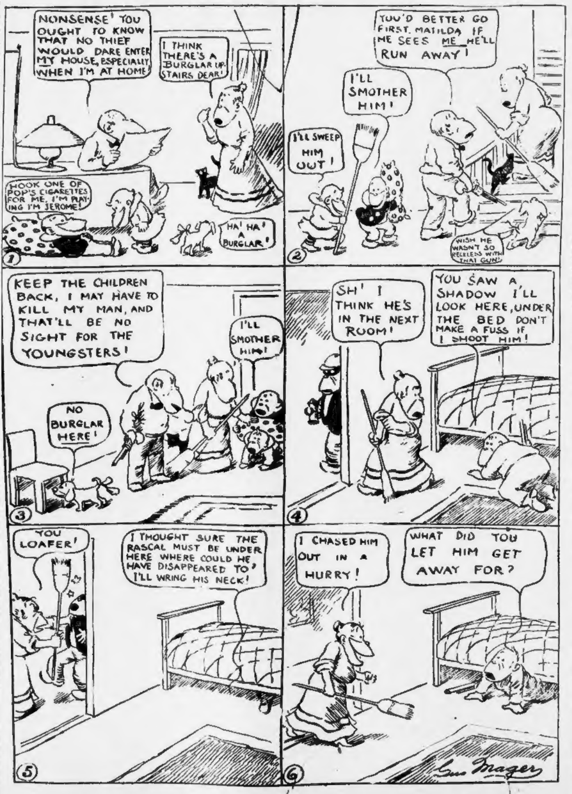
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I THINK THERE'S A BURGLAR UP-STAIRS DEAR!
HOOK ONE OF POP'S CIGARETTES FOR ME, I'M PLAYING I'M JEROME!
HA! HA! A BURGLAR!
1
YOU'D BETTER GO FIRST, MATILDA IF HE SEES ME HE'LL RUN AWAY!
I'LL SMOTHER HIM!
I'LL SWEEP HIM OUT!
WISH HE WASN'T SO RECKLESS WITH THAT GUN!
2
KEEP THE CHILDREN BACK, I MAY HAVE TO KILL MY MAN, AND THAT'LL BE NO SIGHT FOR THE YOUNGSTERS!
I'LL SMOTHER HIM!
NO BURGLAR HERE!
3
SH! I THINK HE'S IN THE NEXT ROOM!
YOU SAW A SHADOW I'LL LOOK HERE, UNDER THE BED DON'T MAKE A FUSS IF I SHOOT HIM!
4
YOU LOAFER!
I THOUGHT SURE THE RASCAL MUST BE UNDER HERE WHERE COULD HE HAVE DISAPPEARED TO? I'LL WRING HIS NECK!
5
I CHASED HIM OUT IN A HURRY!
WHAT DID YOU LET HIM GET AWAY FOR?
6
Gus Mager

HE THOUGHT SURE THE BURGLAR WAS UNDER THE BED

Dinkelspiel on How to Kill Mosquitoes

By George V. Hobart

MEIN LIEBER LOOEY—Ve haf receifed your letter from Bay City, Mich., und ve vas glat to hear dot eferyding vas progressful mit you on der road, und dot you haf added a new side line of shredded pickles, vich vas selling vell.

Ve vas all getting along goot at home mit der eggsception dot your mother has tried to assassinate all der mosquitoes in our neighborhood, mit almost fatal results to herself und your leedle brother, Heiney.

I dink your mother alvays hat a idea dot der proper vay to assassinate a mosquito vas to throw a bomb at it und den cross der fingers and hope for der best.

Anyhow, vun day she read it in a book somevare dot der kindest vay to assassinate der mosquito vas to coax a bunch of dem up in a corner und throw vitriol in deir faces, vich chenerally caused dem to be ashamed of demselfs und made dem lead a less bleed-t'irsty life.

Vell, your mother tried dis idea, but it happened dot my best pair of pants vas hanging in der same corner vich she picked ouid to vork der third degree on der skeeters, mit der result dat my trousers departed dis vorld in great haste vile der mosquitos put deir stingers up deir sleeves und ran avay, laughing vildly.

Den I took your mother ouid in a wacant lot, far from der boozum of her family, und eggsplained to her der scientific difference between a mosquito und a pair of sigs dollar trouserings, vich she listened at mit patience, eggscept ven I svore too loud.

But she vas not discouraged, because der next day she read it in a paper dot kerosene oil vas de only chenooine und reliable vay to ofercome der mosquito, so she vent after dem.

Der article in der paper dit not gif der full particulars abould der details of using der kerosene, so your mother thought it all ouid for a vile und den she poured abould a half a gallon of oil in der bath tub und vaited.

I dink she eggspected der mosquitoes to valk in der bathroom, undress, grab der soap und plunge into der kerosene oil, varo dey vould perish miserably mitouid even getting a chance to throw up der sponge.

But none of der mosquitoes in our house felt dot it vas necessary to took a bath, so dot scheme failed, und vorse und vorse und more pitiless grew der hunger of der pests, vich vas using us as a meal ticket.

Den somebody tolt your mother dot der right vay to apply der kerosene oil vas to put it in a sprinklink can und sprinkle it ofer der enemy.

To see your mother chasing a bevy of mosquitos around der parlor mit fire in her eyes, a carpet sveeper in her left hand und a sprinklink can full of kerosene in der right hand vas a sight such as dese mortal eyes of mine nefer before beheld it.

For two days, Looey, it rained kerosene in our household. For breakfast der toast vas scented mit kerosene, und it floated scumfully on top of der coffee. For lunch time der codfish cakes glistened like a leaky lamp, und der shredded onions lost all deir courage and vanted to leave der room. For dinner der corn beef looked like a roast on Chon D. Rockyfellow, und der delicate blossoms of der sauerkraut began to shrivel up und tasted like der Ohio River near Parkersburg.

In der meantime, Loey, der mosquitoes hat der time of deir lives. Dey t'ought ve vas gifing a Mardi Gras for deir benefit, so dey sent ouid invitations to all deir friends, mit der result dot our family lost more blood den is spilled in a South American revolution.

Your mother has abandonized der kerosene idea und is now fumigating der house mit someding vich falls on der listening nose like a hard slap on der face, so I vas writing dis letter ouid in der barn.

My t'eory abould der mosquito is dot he has humanity stung going und cameing.

Yours mit luff.
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Per George V. Hobart.

Little Editorials from the People

WHERE DOES THE RESPONSIBILITY REST?

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I notice you head your report of Monday's meeting of the committee on municipal lighting with these words, "City Lighting Again Shelved by the Committee" and wind up your report by saying that Alderman Linehan and Councilman McCullough can be depended upon to state the situation honestly and frankly. Don't you know that it was the absence of Alderman Linehan and Councilman McCullough that prevented the committee from taking any action, because had these two members of the committee, who are so deeply interested in municipal ownership, or at least were, been present, the committee would have had a quorum and would also have the votes to compel the gentlemen who ignored the request of the committee to appear before it to come and tell us something about the contract under which the city now receives its electric lights.

Had we a quorum we would force ex-Mayor Josiah Quincy and the Hon. James Donovan to come and tell us whether it was by their ignorance of the situation and their carelessness in failing to ascertain the true conditions appertaining to electric lighting at the time the contract was made, or by their connivance, that the city was made a party to a contract which robs the taxpayers of thousands of dollars annually. Anyone in the least familiar with the conditions surrounding the electric lighting at the time of making this contract knows very well that the city should get arc lamps cheaper than the price agreed upon. Why Mr. Josiah Quincy and Mr. James Donovan did not get a reduction in the price remains a conundrum while they alone can solve.

Had the committee been in earnest in its efforts I feel that it could show the public how the Boston Electric Light Company cheated and defrauded the citizens of Boston in the methods it adopted to induce the users of arc lamps to substitute its new enclosed lamp for the lamp then in use. However, the committee does not appear to be in earnest, and while some members of the committee would like to be able to place these facts before the people of Boston judicially proved, I fear potent forces are exerting their influence, and such a result seems now improbable. What those influences are and from what quarters they are exerted it is unnecessary now to state, but some of them are so apparent that the statues in front of the State House looking down over Boston Common can almost understand and appreciate them.

Now we expect your paper to be fair and if you are going to blame the committee for its delinquency, attach blame where it belongs. Some of the committee are asking why the pronounced advocates of municipal ownership were absent from the meeting and from many preceding meetings. Perhaps they can explain.

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